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WORKING NIGHT AND DAY ON NEW FURNACES

Pittsburg Steel Company Hastening Monessen Plant

FINISHING UP STOVES

Four Practically Complete---Start Made on Second Furnace

Working night and day, excepting Sunday, a force of 600 men is making rapid progress on the construction of the blast furnaces being built by the Pittsburg Steel company at Monessen. Four of the stoves of the first blast furnace have been practically completed and work begun on four more of the second blast furnace. The two blast furnaces, which are the first to be built at Monessen will occupy a site at the northern end of the present plant.

The blast furnaces are to be of a new type. In order to get a good draught they are somewhat higher than the usual furnace and when finished, it is said will be the highest in the country. One of the stoves was practically completed on Saturday, when a tall stack was put on. The other three stoves composing the first blast furnace will be finished as rapidly as possible, while work is being continued on the stoves of the second furnace.

Much skilled labor is required in the construction of the blast furnaces, including carpenters and carpenter's helpers. Most of the work is being done by the Pittsburg Steel company itself. In addition to the skilled labor, much foreign labor is employed and an average wage is being paid.

Although the work will proceed with all possible haste, it will probably be a year before the blast furnaces will be put in operation.

PROPRIETOR ILL; STORE GOES INTO HANDS OF RECEIVER

The department store of M. Janavitz of Monessen was closed last Friday afternoon by A. C. Ellis, receiver in bankruptcy. Mrs. Janavitz who has been managing the business during the long and tedious illness of her husband, made an attempt to adjust the debts with the creditors and made a liberal proposition, but they refused to accept it and the store was forced into bankruptcy and closed.

Mr. and Mrs. Janavitz have had many reverses during the past two or three years which has been a great drain on their resources says the Monessen Independent. They have paid thousands of dollars in doctor bills, hire and traveling expenses and it was a physical impissibility to meet all claims promptly. It was an accumulation of unforseen circumstances which brought on the business troubles at this time.

Miss Ethel Waddell of Pittsburg, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. E. N. Duty, returned home today.

Discount on Taxes Now

Five Per Cent Off on State and County Assessment This Month

State and county taxes for this district are being received at a five per cent reduction this month at the Bank of Charleroi. Allen S. Mansfield former tax collector for Charleroi, is receiving the taxes This district includes Charleroi, North Charleroi, Twilight and Fallowfield township. The first of August the taxes will be received at face and after a month with a ten per cent addition.

FACTORY VACATION IS ENDED

Macbeth-Evans Factory Starts After Week's Shutdown

ARE REPAIRING TANK

After being closed down a week for stock-taking and repairs, the Charleroi plant of the Macbeth-Evans Glass company started operation this morning. The tank, is still not running, and will be idle for about a month, during which time repairs will be made to it. Yearly repairs are necessary to the tank.

The building at the north end of the Macbeth-Evans property to be used for a new factory is nearly completed, and the indications are that the new factory will be put into use sometime this fall. Other buildings that will be as additions to certain departments will follow.

To Hold League Meeting.

A meeting of the Charleroi Church League has been called for tonight at the parlors of the Bank of Charleroi. Matters pertaining to the operation of the league will come up for discussion.

L. C. B. A. TO HOLD AN OUTING

The members of St. Jerome's Branch L. C. B. A. planned an outing at their last meeting. They decided to go to Eldora Park Wednesday evening on the 7:45 car. Donora, Monongahela and Monessen Branches have been invited.

Everybody's Drinking it. Keystone Coffee. City Grocery. eod-tf

C. R. Peregrine has been spending a few days at Chautauqua.

TWO DEATHS FOLLOW AUTOMOBILE CRASH

Greene County Men Fatally Hurt When Machine Plunges Over Embankment--Were Returning Home From Races

In an auto wreck caused it is believed by a bit of neglected roadway in the Clay district of West Virginia, near Blacksville at 9 o'clock Saturday night two men were killed and two others injured.

The Dead.

RICHARD EWART, of Waynesburg, 46 years of age, owner of the automobile, chest crushed and neck broken; died soon afterwards.

ALFRED DELANEY, of Wayne township, skull fractured compound fracture of both legs and internal injuries; died at 5:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

The Injured.

THOMAS AREFORD, of Khedive, 39 years old; hand crushed and suffering from shock.

JOSEPH WEBSTER, of Waynesburg 18 years old, escaped with a severe shaking up.

The men, all of whom are known in Charleroi, were on their way from Fairmont, W. Va., where they had attended races. It is claimed that Ewart turned aside to avoid a bad part of the road and in the darkness failed to see danger which lurked in front. He drove the machine, which was traveling at about seven miles an hour over a slip, the car plunging 20 feet below.

Webster was the first to recover Areford soon regained his senses and the two pulled out the other two men. Ewart died before physicans could be summoned and Delaney succumbed at the home of a nearby resident early Sunday.

TO RAISE FUNDS FOR FARM EXPERT

Agriculturalists Take Action to Secure Services of Experienced Man

At a recent meeting of the farmers of Washington county held in the Board of Trade rooms at Washington Saturday afternoon it was determined to at once proceed with the plan to raise the $1,500 necessary to provide the county's part of the sum necessary to bring an agricultural expert here. A committee of nine members of the county seat Board of Trade was named to at once take up the work of securing subscriptions.

The members of this committee are as follows: J. M. McDowell, Washington, R. D. 7; R. M. Carrons, Washington; Charles E. Crothers, Taylorstown; J. J. Humbert, Washington; A. J. Allison, Washington; J. H. Pollock, South Strabane; W. J. Mehaffey, Claysville; R. L. Munce, North Strabane, and G. W. Dudderar, secretary of the Board of Trade.

The work of raising the funds for the expert will be carried on by this committee under the direction of the agricultural bureau of the Board of Trade.

TEST BEING MADE OF PARCELS POST

Uncle Sam Experimenting With New Scheme on the Rural Routes

In some localities where there are rural delivery routes a test is now being made of the parcels post system by the United States Postoffice department. The first is being made under a new ruling which has just been made by Postmaster General Frank Hitchcock. At present the parcels post will affect only the rural routes, but should the experiment prove a success in the country, city routes will be added later. Under the present system all fourth-class matter weighing less than 11 pounds will be delivered on the rural routes.

The maximum cost for the delivery of an 11 pound package will be 25 cents. No difference will be made in the distance which the package is carried by the government in this wise differing from the charges of the express companies.

Postage shall be paid at the rate of one cent each two ounces or less, two cents for more than two ounces. The scale is graduated for packages weighing more than four ounces. Under present conditions Uncle Sam carries parcels through the mails to foreign countries at a much lower rate than for his own citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Nickeson and children visited at the Montgomery home near Fayette City Sunday.

EXPERIMENT IN CHURCH SUCCESS

System of Combining Service and Sunday School Works Well

The attention of church people among the Protestant denominations of the county was upon the Methodist Episcopal church of Charleroi Sunday at the time of the trial of an innovation in Sunday School and church service. The innovation was, in brief, a combination of the Sunday school and church morning service. Succeessful results attended the experiment the first day. The Sunday school attendance was up to the average and there was a greater number of adults present.

The service began at 10:30 o'clock in the morning. This was one hour later than Sunday school usually started. The real change was that one song service was made to do for both church and Sunday school. Rev. F. A. Richards preached a 25 minute sermon and there was a lesson hour of the usual length. Adjournment was taken promptly at 12:15. Under the new system everything is carried out with a precision. Nothing runs over time and everything is carried out according to detailed program.

WILL RECEIVE BIDS FOR SIGNS

State Highway Commissioner Bieglow Arranging for Posts on Hand

State Highway Commissioner Bigelow has asked for bids for the first sign posts to be erected by the state along main highway routes. The bids are asked on 1,000 posts to be furnished as needed, the index boards as well as the posts to be of metal according to designs adopted by the commissioner some time ago. The posts will be erected along improved highways and in such other parts of the state as are needed because of crossing routes. Severe penalties for defacing of the sign posts will be made. Metal posts and signs will be considerable of an improvement over the old-fashioned wooden ones, the lettering of which wore off and left the inscription unintelligible.

Disbursed Big Pay.

Something like $7,500 was disbursed in pay to the employes of the Imperial Glass factory Saturday. This is larger than the ordinary pay and indicates the prosperous condition of the bottle business.

THE COYLE THEATRE
SAFEST HOUSE IN STATE
CLEAN, COOL AND COMFORTABLE. 266-tf

PROMINENT CHARLEROI WOMAN DIES SUDDENLY

Large Tank Breaks Down

Necessitates Part of Imperial Bottle Plant Being Suspended

With hardly more than a start made on an extra month's run, the big tank at the Imperial bottle factory has broken down, necessitating the closing of that part of the factory for the summer, while repairs are being made. The tank broke down on July 1. Three shifts are now being employed at the amber tank, many of the men who were thrown out of work by the accident of the big tank thus being cared for. It will take some weeks to repair the tank. August is a vacation month for the bottle workers, so that not until September will the tank be put in operation again.

LIMIT IS SET FOR MOTORISTS

Joy Riders to be Punished at North Belle Vernon

DRASTIC LAW IN EFFECT

Determined to put a stop to fast motoring through the borough as a menace to life, North Belle Vernon has put into effect a drastic law, which the council there recently adopted. By the new law motor cars must not be driven faster than one mile in two and a half minutes through the borough.

At points where there are "Danger, Run Slow" signs, no greater speed than a mile in five minutes, or 12 miles an hour will be tolerated. An offender for the first violation will be subject to a fine of from $10 to $25 or imprisonment of not more than 10 days. The second violation will subject the offender to a fine of $50 or imprisonment for 20 days.

WILL CONCLUDE TOURNAMENT BY BY GAME TONIGHT

With a game between Fred Brady and Hugh E. Fergus, Esq., a billiard tournament that began before the time of the fire at Elks' Club will be concluded tonight and the prize a diamond stick pin donated by John B. Schafer will be awarded. The contest narrowed down to Brady and Fergus Saturday, the final contestant to drop out being Justice of the Peace Joseph Wheeler. Both Brady and Fergus feel confident of victory.

Mrs. H. J. Repman Succumbs This Morning to Heart Failure

SUFFERED BRIEF TIME

Took Sick Sunday Evening---Active in Church and Club Circles

Charleroi people were profound shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. Eleanor M. Repman, wife of Dr. Harry J. Repman, which occurred in the early hours this morning of heart failure, at her home at 406 Fifth street. Up until 10 o'clock the previous evening Mrs. Repman was in her usual health, when she was attacked with a stomach affection in the nature of acute indigestion. Her symptoms were not alarming at first, but she grew worse so steadily that her husband, Dr. Repman called in some of the neighboring physicians, but all that they could do was unavailing, and Mrs. Repman succumbed to heart failure shortly after 1 o'clock.

This sudden and untimely death falls with crushing force, not only upon the bereaved husband and family but upon a wide circle of friends among whom Mrs. Repman was universally beloved. She was one the leading club women of the to as well as active in church and ci work. Every public movement which women had a part found in Mrs. Repman an energetic and ardent worker, and her services and co-operation were always sought in these affairs and given with a cheerfulness that made her a valued member of society. She was one of the original members of the Athene Club of Charleroi, which is one of the most successful and prominent federated woman's clubs in western Pennsylvania and at the time of her death was a member of the program committee and was working on the program for the ensuing year.

In church work Mrs. Repman was also equally active, being a member of the First Presbyterian church. As a member of the Lady's Aid society she was one of the leaders, and in this capacity did much good to those in distress and affliction. She was also a charter member of the Eastern Star Chapter, which was organized in Charleroi but a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Repman was born in Titusville January 27, 1880. She was the daughter of the late William McNaughton, and after completing her education entered the McKeesport hospital to study for a trained nurse. While there she met Dr. Harry J. Repman, to whom she was married in September, 1902, shortly after her graduation. Dr. Repman had located in Charleroi, where he is one of the leading physicians, and the couple have resided here ever since their marriage.

Besides her husband Mrs. Repman is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mary McNaughton, who at the beginning of the season purchased a cottage at Chautauqua, N. Y., where she moved form Charleroi and four brothers. These are Dr. J. W. McNaughton of Charleroi, and George, William and Harold, who are in Canado. The funeral services have not yet been arranged.

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MRS. H. J. REPMAN.

The death of Mrs. H. J. Repman, which occurred suddenly this morning, comes as a profound shock to her many friends and acquaintances in Charleroi. Cut down in the prime of active young womanhood, with scarcely a moment's warning, her demise is all the more sorrowful.

Mrs. Repman was a splendid representative of the type who is solving the problem of woman's advancement and place in the world's work. First of all she was pre-eminently a home maker, but her housewifely duties did not deter her from entering into broader fields of culture and knowledge. Before her marriage she successfully qualified for a profession which materially broadens woman's sphere of helpfulness to her fellow beings, and in the practice of this profession she developed a high degree of human sympathy that constituted one of the chief charms of her lovely nature. Modest, unassuming, optimistic and cheerful she went about doing good wherever it was possible, and radiating sunshine and happiness upon all who were graced with her presence. The world is better for Mrs. Repman having lived within it, and her brief span of womanly life has been successful in the highest sense of the world.

HIS POWER CRUMBLING.

William Flinn's power in Pennsylvania politics is crumbling. He is now practically alone in his determination to wreck the Republican party of the State and give the electoral votes of Pennsylvania either to Col. Roosevelt or the Democratic candidate for the Presidency. A few months ago Flinn through a working agreement with Mayor W. A. Magee of Pittsburg controlled the Allegheny county delegates to the Republican State convention. He went into power of the delegates adn was all-powerful of the delegates and was allowed to do largely as he pleased. He personally named the candidates for auditor general and State treasurer. He selected members of his own family including himself as delegates to the Republican national convention. No effort was made to stay or stop him. He was gratified with his aboundant success.

Things are different now with Flinn, however. He was unable to control the national convention and from the opening of that gathering he urged a bolt. He proclaimed that he would not only bolt himself but that the Republicans of Pennsylvania would bolt with him. Republicans who had been regular all their lives protested but Flinn insisted that they were bolters with him. Immediately his power weakened. The Pennsylvania Republicans were not able to get exactly what they wanted but they refused to follow Flinn in his bolting of the national ticket.

Now has come the blow which seems certain to be fatal. Mayor Magee has personally served notice that he will not join Flinn in the proposed bolt. That takes every particle of strength away from the arrogant boss and he will bolt alone. The outlook for regular Republicanism in Pennsylvania seems brighter since Flinn has been properly placed

ELECTRIC SPARKS

There are other kinds of pruning than pruning trees. There is the old man's whiskers.

A Catastrophe—Almost.

A flea and a fly in a flue
Were imprisoned. now what coulc they do?
Said the fly. "Let us flee."
"Let us fly," said the flea.
And they flew through a flaw in the flue."

—Dumb Animals.

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The railroad is so far ahead now in the mortality record that such things as the aeroplane and automobile have little show.

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People with such an intense love of money that they will do almost anything except to get it, are not altogether hopeless, but nearly so.

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It seems sensible to do right, after one has been caught doing something wrong.

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There is yet an impression that Shakespeare didn't corral quite all the good and original thoughts.

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A New York dog has been presented with a hero medal. The chances are the dog is sorry if he has to be bothered by wearing it.

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The fellow who can drink or leave it alone usually ends up with the fellows who never made any pretensions.

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It has come to be a pretty hard job to keep up to date on Presidential endorsements.

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The Washington Observer remarks that Teddy is a son of Fair Harvard, Taft is the child of Yale luck and Wilson is a Princeton tiger, and then asks when will W. & J. have a look in?

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The Ohio woman who was struck twice on the same cheek by lightning and was not injured either time ought to be a good money maker for a museum.

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There are those who never travel but live in the same rut the year around. Such persons are usually described by ourselves in the first person.

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Champ Clark is still speaker even though he didn't cut enough ice down at Baltimore to pull anything across worth while.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

The report of three suicides in Pittsburg in this morning's papers calls to mind a recent conversation with W. A. Ferguson, a Charleroi citizen who formerly lived in Pittsburg concerning the notoriety of Troy Hill, in Allegheny, as a suicide center.

"It used to be a common saying in Pittsburg that every cloudy or rainy day was productive of a suicide at Troy Hill," said Mr. Ferguson. "I remember on one occasion that the papers noted how the telephone rang one morning in the coroner's office.

"'Hello,' said the coroner, 'who is this?'

"'I'm so and so at number so and so,' said the voice, giving his name and street address, which I have forgotten. 'Are you the coroner?'

"'Yes.'

"'Well, come and get me, for I am dead.'

"As the street and number mentioned were at Troy Hill, the coroner hastened to the scene, and sure enough the subject was there dead as enough thes ubject was there dead as he had reported."

Did you notice how abruptly the Sunday baseball games at Donora ended this season?" asked a Charleroi citizen the other day, who is interested in the observance of law and order within the county. "When the Sunday games started this season those opposed to them communicated yith the county authorities, and were informed that it was up to the local officials to enforce the law. The latter began see-sawing about their authority, and the games continued. In the meanwhile a bunch of men in the county, who were determined that the law should be enforced got together, and went to the proper sources and the promoters of the game were told emphatically where to head in at. They promptly headed, and the games ceased.

"You will notice also that the baseball gambling pools are not run so brazenly open as they did last year. Governor Tener's blast on this proposition, as well as a little work in the right quarter have made the promoters exceedingly careful. There are some other things that are supposedly being kept under cover that are closely watched, and something is likely to drop some day.

"My little experience in this matter has shown me that it is a comparatively easy matter to flag these violations of the law and that people do not have to tolerate such conditions if they demand the enforcement of the law."

ROSCOE COMPANY HAS GOOD YEAR

In a statement for the six months ending June 29, the Roscoe Telephone company announces a net gain at the rate of about 8 per cent in the financial returns of the company. The rentals amounted to $775.60 and net toll business to 97.67. The net gain for the period mentioned was $318.66.

Must Do Without Almanac.

It looks as if the Chinese public in the south will be in a fix this year for the want of the usual almanac, which is an indispensable requisite in every household in order to distinguish between lucky and unlucky days and the like. The little kobos are sold by the hundreds of thousands and the trade got them ready as usual. To meet the situation new covers were put on with the new dates, while the inside remained the same as if there had been no change. The sale of these is strictly interdicted and nothing has been provided to take their place.—Pekin Daily News.

Fireman's Unique Wedding.

A fireman's wedding in a burnt-out church is certainly something of a novelty. Such a wedding has just taken place in the chancel of St. George's, Leicester, the greater part of the building having been destroyed by fire last year. It was the first fireman's wedding in Leicester, and the bridegroom's colleague, formed a guard of honor and arranged an arch of axes, etc., under which the bride and bridegroom passed out after the ceremony. Fireman Sturges, the bridegroom, was among those who fought the flames at St. George's last October.—London Tit-Bits.

Wooden Leg Joke.

Why is it, as a writer in the Bellman points out, that the general sense of humor is stirred when anything happens to a man's wooden leg, such as its loss or a knothole coming in it, or getting it under the cars? It is or was the same way with stealing a man's horse in the Far West. Both of these accidents are serious. Yet they are supposed to be subjects for mirth.—Minneapolis Journal.

In Ancient Days.

The chimney corner was a favorite place for early settlers when they took their tobacco. Buckets were the chief reliance of the fire fighters. When an alarm was cried each citizen grabbed his buckets and ran to answer it. If he couldn't respond in an instant he threw his buckets out his window, and his neighbor picked them up and carried them along.

Nations Brought Closer.

We have already spoken of the new telephone cable which is laid across the channel, so as to connect France with England, this being designed on the Pupin system, so that speech is very clear and the various provinces of England can now have connection with Paris. Recent news states that connection can now be made from London to Switzerland in a practical way for the first time, so that conversations can be held between London and Geneva by way of Paris and Lyons and between London and Basel by the way of Paris and Belfort.—Scientific American.

Copying the Mississippi.

The city of Seville, Spain, which is on the "banks of the sweet Guadalquiver," has been almost completely beleaguered recently by reason of the phenomenal rise of that river, which has abandoned its role of a meandering, sentimental stream and become a raging torrent bearing death and destruction in its course.

Put Ban on High Heels.

A Minneapolis manufacturer recently forbade the wearing of high heels on their shoes by the young women in his establishment.

RINGGOLDS TO HOLD REUNION AT BEALLSVILLE

The 39th annual reunion of the Ringgold Battalion, 22nd Pennsylvania Cavalry will beheld at Beallsville on Thursday, August 29. This date will mark the 50th anniversary of the greater part of the Battalion leaving for the front. No effort will be spared to make this the red letter reunion for the surviving veterans. The officers arranging for the event are David M. Snyder, president and H. H. Young, secretary.

CALL IS MADE FOR NEW PARTY

A call to the people of the United States who are in sympathy with the "National Progressive Movement," to send delegates to a national convention to open in Chicago August 5, was given out Sunday afternoon by United States Senator Joseph M. Dixon of Montana, Theodore Roosevelt's campaign manager in New York. The call is signed by members of the committee chosen at a meeting held in Chicago and also includes signatures of Roosevelt followers in forty States.

Among the signers of the call are William Flinn, Pittsburg; E. A. Van Valkenburg, Philadelphia and Gifford Pinchot and William Draper Lewis of Pennsylvania.

SCARED THE GARRISON

MOVING PICTURE CAMERA IN MEXICO STARTED PANIC.

Soldiers Thought It a Machine Gun and Were Overjoyed When the American Photographer Made Clear Their Mistake.

An American camera man recently ventured into Mexico to take some pictures of Mexican scenery, together with a parade of a Mexican regiment. Mistaking him for an insurrecto about to start another revolution by turning a machine gun on them, severa hundred Mexican soldiers, comprising the garrison at Tia Juana, broke ranks while on dress parade and ran in every direction for shelter, says Motography.

Officers joined the privates in getting behind buildings and trenches, and the regimental bugler had hardly sounded the call to arms to repel the attack of the supposed invaders when the moving picture man, now thoroughly frightened himself, tucked his machine under one arm and started to run for the boundary line. He had gained the outskirts of the town when a Mexican officer ventured to snatch a look from his hiding place and, seeing the ground clear, ordered a charge with fixed bayonets. It took considerable prodding, however, to get the privates back into the ranks and the military formation.

The frightened operator was overhauled by mounted men, dragged back into town and taken before the commanding officer. The enraged soldiers wanted to make a target out of him then and there, but the officers prevailed upon them to let the regular military law take its course. The moving picture machine was carefully taken apart and searched for explosives The camera man pleaded with the officers to let him go. He explained to the Mexicans that he was not a filibuster nor a soldier of fortune; that he was only working for a living. He went through a pantomime with the aid of a sheet on the wall to show the soldiers how pictures are taken for the nickelodeons in the United States.

Then a great light burst upon the intelligence of the commander in chief. He rapidly interpreted his discovery to his fellow officers ann his privates. The moving picture man stood distrustfully by, not quite sure that he had yet made himself plain.

The soldiers were so overjoyed at the fact that they were to have been sent down into posterity by the moving picture route that the man was ordered to take their picture without fear of interruption. A brief examination, however, convinced the moving picture man that he could never accomplish the fact: but he feared to arouse the ire of the Mexicans, so he went through the motions of taking a real picture, while the soldiers marched back and forth within his range, drilled, fixed their bayonets, charged upon imaginary foes, pitched their tents and went through every detail of war life in Mexico.

His arms were aching from turning the crank of his broken machine, and he would have ordinarily used up several miles of film, when the regiment came to attention and the commander stepped to the front and proudly doffed his cap.

That was the end. The picture man was loaded down with cigarettes and cigars and presented with a silk scarf by one of the officers. He refused an invitation to dine and hurried with an escort of honor to the boundary line, the men insisting on carrying his machine for him

OUR ANNUAL Oxford Sale!

Ladies' and Men's Oxfords Greatly Reduced

This sale comes a little earlier than usual but we have too many oxfords and they must go.

Read These Few Prices Carefully

One lot ladies' Red Cross gun metal 3 eyelet Oxfords, regular price $3.50 reduced to..... $2.48

One lot of gun metal and patent leather Red Cross Pumps, 1 strap. Value 3.50 and 4.00 reduced to $2.48

One lot ladies' mixed Red Cross made oxfords and pumps, all sizes, regular value $3.50 and $4, now $1.79

All pumps, colonial, 1-strap, 2-strap, cross strap, of our celebrated Red Cross make, in most all leathers, all sizes, regular value $3.50 and 4.00, now $2.98

All ladies' 2.50 and 2.75 oxfords at $2.22

All ladies' 2.00 and 2.25 oxfords, suede, gunmetal, vici kid, etc., at $1.28

All men's Ralston oxfords, all styles all leathers, regular price 4.00, at..... $3.38

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All 3.00 and some 3.50 men's oxfords at $2.28

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NEVER ALLOWED TO "INFORM"

Point of Military Etiquette That Is Impressed on Youngsters in the Service.

"No matter how much a second lieutenant in the army may know, he must never presume to 'inform' his superior officers," remarked a captain in one of the organizations of the National Guard of the District of Columbia recently.

"I found that out long ago. Col. O. B. Mitcham, in command of this artillery division, sent me a request for information along certain lines, and I dug out the material and wrote out a letter in reply which I thought was strictly military. I took it down to 'Sergt.' Drew at militia headquarters. Drew has been a post quartermaster sergeant in the islands, and has had more experience in the formality of military correspondence than any one I know of.

"Sergt. Mike looked at it one second and nearly fainted. 'Great Scott,' he gasped, 'you'd be shot at sunrise if you sent that along.'

"I had written, 'Sir, I have the honor to inform you, and so forth.'

"It looked good and military to me, but Sergt. Mike Drew, when he had recovered from the shock, wept on my shoulder and said:

"'My boy, don't you know in the army nobody is ever allowed to inform a superior officer? You may have all the information in the world, but don't presume to inform anybody that's even one inch over you. It will get you in bad. Just change that letter so it will read, I have the honor to report.'"

Where Strength Is Needed.

It is one thing to "play the game" before applauding thousands, and quite another to do it in the ordinary quiet concerns of daily life.

Diplomat.

A diplomat is a man who can call you a liar and make you like it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

PRESCRIPTION DID THE WORK

Doctor's Advice That at First Seemed Hard-Hearted Effected a Permanent Cure.

Dr. Stephen Smith, who was 89 years old on February 19, is one of New York's distinguished surgeons, and a founder of the first nurses' training school established in this country. He is also the originator of what he calls the "peanut cure" for tuberculosis. He used it with success long before fresh-air sanitariums and sleeping bags had come into vogue.

"I happened to invent the cure in this way," he said. "A rosy-cheeked, wholesome Irish girl brought her sister to my office and asked me what I could do for her. The sister was plain, sickly, and weak, and obviously had bad lungs.

"'What do you do for a living?' I asked the girl with the red cheeks.

"'Tend a corner peanut stand,' she said.

"'And what does your sister do?'

"'Oh, she's too sickly to be outdoors; we don't let her work.'

"'Well,' I said, 'you buy your sister a peanut stand and keep her outdoors. That's the only thing I can recommend.'

"The two girls looked horrified and departed. I did not think anything more about the case until two years later, when two big healthy rosy-cheeked girls came to my office. I recognized one as the peanut stand keeper; the other I couldn't place. But she soon introduced herself as my old patient, the sickly sister of my rosy-cheeked visitor.

"'And what have you been doing to yourself?' I asked.

"'Keeping a peanut stand,' she said."

Worry.

"I can remember when you had to work eight hours a day," said the old-time friend.

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TOUCHED THEIR SOFT HEART

In the Circumstances, Expressed Hope of Irish Youths Seemed Somewhat Humorous.

Supreme Court Justice Cohalan of New York, who is proud of his Irish blood, also believes that for keen wit and humor no race in the world equals the Irish. The justice spent the greater part of last summer on the "ould sod" and when he came home he had acquired a great fund of funny anecdotes illustrative of the often unconscious humor of the natives he met.

He tells a story of two husky lads who were tenants of the same landowner and who were constantly embroiled either with the man himself or one of his agents. At last things came to such a pass that the two decided to waylay their landlord. They chose a favorable spot along the road over which they knew the landlord must travel that afternoon and crouched in the ditch waiting. To beguile the time each told the other a part of the punishment he had devised for the landlord.

Said one, "Oi'll tap him on the head wid me blackthorn and whin he falls Oi'll step on his face an—"

The other interrupted: 'Oi mane to cut off his ears, split his nose an' if he makes a fuss Oi'll slit his weazand."

They kept up the bloodthirsty conversation for some time and at last one noticed the day was almost done and that it was far past the time when the landlord might have been expected to pass. He interrupted his sanguinary threats to call the attention of his companion to the flight of time and the non-appearance of the man they expected, exclaiming:

"Och, the poor felley, Oi hope nothin's happened him!"

SET THE PACE IN RECEPTIONS

Splendid Affair Given by United States Ambassador Guild Dazzled St. Petersburg Society.

The German and Russian newspapers bristle with reports concerning an official reception by the American ambassador at St. Petersburg, Curtis Guild, in the splendid palace he occupies, which was formerly the residence of Count Orloff Denison. Not even Ambassador Leishman, glittering at the kaiser's court, could have been more impoing. The ambassador had at his side a functionary from the imperial court, who presented the guests. The ambassador's wife was beautifully gowned.

The guests were announced by a servant from the imperial ministry, who wore a black suit of eighteenth century style, with a lace jabot.

Mrs. Guild was greatly fatigued, for she had to stand three hours with outstretched hand in order that it might be kissed by all the men, according to the Russian fashion.

In the great dining hall on the floor above, hung with pictures of the Orloffs of the last three centuries, was a surprise for the guests. Instead of the usual tables with servants serving champagne, there were models in ice of a Russian farm house and an American cottage, lit with incandescent lights, from which flowed fountains of champagne. The American cottage fountain bubbled with dry wine, while the Russian emitted a fruity variety.

Real Eugene Aram.

A sale of relics of Eugene Aram reminds us that Lord Lytton's Aram was a very different personage from him who was hanged at York, who, judging from the published account of the trial, was merely a felon of the baser sort. He associated with low companions, married a low wife and practiced swindling with a miserable creature whom in his younger days he was associated with in stealing flowerroots—for they were both gardeners—and finally murdered him to secure a few pounds, the proceeds of a swindle.

Aram possessed a vigorous intellect, had mastered the learned languages, had read every classic that came in his way, and, says a distinguished writer, when the learned felon came to make his defense all Britain was astonished by a piece of pleading which, if given to the public among the defenses and under the name of Thomas Lord Erskine, so celebrated for this species of composition, would certainly not be deemed unworthy of the collection of . . . thor.

Work For Kings.

The sphere of foreign affairs is one in which a British monarch, for all his complete subordination to constitutional forms, still exercises real power. Unlike the late king, who was his own traveling ambassador, and whose personality made him welcome in the capitals of Europe, George V chooses to work through his ministers, but there is every reason to believe that the monarch's views will carry weight with the cabinet. Situated as he is above party, the king may readily work for international friendship and peace without being accused of betraying the country's interests

Biggest Thing in the World.

"'Fighting Bob' Evans," said a naval veteran of Washington, "had, like most fighters, a tender heart.

"'Fighting Bob' had a specially tender heart toward children. I once heard him say, as he held his little grandchild's hand:

"'A child is the biggest thing in the world. A ragged, emaciated, hungry child is to me bigger than a battleship.'"

UP IN ARMS AGAINST CRITICS

London Theater Managers Resent "Roasts" and Newspaper Makes a Plain Talk.

One can easily sympathize with an actor manager, and not less, as in a recent instance, with an actress-manageress, who finds that personal estimates of the merits of a play are not indorsed either by the critics or by that far more important section of the community, the playgoing public. But the growing practice on the part of those who control our theaters of showing something like petulance, or worse, when they find they have made a mistake is full of awkward possibilities. Gerald du Maurier's outburst is the latest instance in point. Because those whom he invited to express opinions on his new venture, "The Dust of Egypt," told the truth about it and failed to indulge in paeans of praise he writes a portentous letter to ask "What is a critic?" The best answer we have seen comes from A. C. Benson: "I suppose that an expert critic is a man with a natural faculty of discrimination which has been trained by experience." One is disposed to believe, after witnessing the sorry stuff so often put upon the stage, that a little more exercise of a faculty for discrimination trained by experience would be to the general advantage in the enterprise of the theater. It would spare the critics many dull hours, the managers much loss of money, and—where they cannot take their losses in a sporting spirit—of temper, while the public opinion of the stage and all its works would be immensely improved.—The Globe, London.

SENSE OF HONOR IN TRAMPS

Storekeeper Who Trusts "Gentlemen of the Road" Declares They Pay Debts Promptly.

In the north part of New York there is a postmaster, who is also owner of a small general store, who has ideas about the tramp that are different from the ideas entertained by the average citizen. The owner of the store and the representative of Uncle Sam is stationed at a junction of three or four railroads, and nearby is a wood, an ideal place for a tramps' camp, which has been a rendezvous for years.

Several years ago the storekeeper began selling goods to the hoboes for cash. He observed that the same faces came in regularly, at intervals of a month or more. Soon the tramps began to ask for credit, and the storekeeper extended it. He found that invariably the tramp came in and paid his bill on his next return to the rendezvous, or if he were out on a long trip, a money order would be sent for the amount. He has dealt with the shifting population for nearly 20 years, and declares he has never lost a cent from a bad account with one. He does not know the names of his customers, except as they are accosted by their fellows by the road names they bear, and most of the accounts are kept in the storekeeper's mind.

Troublesome Moose of Maine.

Hancock county, which is in southeastern Maine, is suffering a plague of moose and up around the headwaters of Union river and in the region of Saponic and Nickalous lakes the people who stay on farms the year around are calling for help.

Last summer the animals did serious injury to farm crops. This winter, it appears, they have yarded in and fed upon varieties of slash that seemed to be the honest pioneer's last resource. One farmer writes the state commissioners of inland fisheries and game to the effect that several years ago he bought a tract of 200 acres of wild land with the intent to go over it annually and cut out hoop poles. He did that once.

Then, as he expresses it, about the time that thousands of sprouts came up "the moose came in," destroyed the sprouts "and continue annually to destroy at least $200 of poles besides the growth." And this man and his neighbors have no redress short of the ultimate gun, since, though a state law provides reimbursement for crop damages inflicted by deer, moose do not figure in this way in any statute.—Boston Transcript.

Time Signals by Telephone.

A mechanism has been attached to the time-clock at the Hamburg observatory by which the exact official time is transmitted to the telephone system of the city. From the fifty-fifth to sixtieth second of each minute the apparatus transmits a musical signal, which is followed by a phonographic announcement of the exact minute. The signals are transmitted by special wire to the headquarters of the telephone system, and thence to each local exchange. Any telephone subscriber who wishes to get the exact time has only to ask for the time connection at his exchange and to listen for the phonographic announcement. This is an improvement upon the American method by which time signals are transmitted by telegraph only once a day.—Youth's Companion.

Sacrificed to Reform.

"You have abandoned the picturesque custom of crowning a queen of the May?"

"Yes," replied the merry villager; "we had to give it up. There got to be so many candidates and so much campaigning that politics left us no time for business."

AWAKENED TRAIN OF THOUGHT

Little Incident That Would Have Made Almost Any Man Superstitious.

Seeking to dispel the pangs of lonesomeness occasioned by the absence of his wife, who had been away for several days visiting her parents in another city, a fashionable and well-known resident of the East side invited a number of his men friends to his home one night last week to play cards and clink glasses.

Being fond of music the host engaged a four-piece orchestra and while his guests exchanged deals and raised the cut glasses to their lips he found more pleasure in reclining in a favorite leather cushioned chair and listening to the music.

It was nearing the time for departure when one of the merry-makers proposed that each guest drink a toast to the host and that he respond. When all had followed the suggestion they turned toward the host. "Tell us what you are thinking of your wife," one suggested as the party giver hesitated.

Raising his glass to a level with his lips he was about to respond. "I was thinking and wondering—"

Just at that moment the orchestra began its rendition of "I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now."

The guests never heard the response, but if they had lingered outside and peered through the library window they would have seen him writing a letter which was later enclosed in an envelope bearing a special delivery stamp. The contents of the message have not been made public, but the wife came home two days later.—Kansas City Journal.

WITTY, AND ACTUAL TRUTH

But Probably Explanation of Washingtonian Failed to Satisfy Foreigner.

There is a certain public man in Washington long noted for his quaint wit. One day last winter, when the sidewalks were quite slippery by reason of a fall of sleet that morning, this official and his wife were proceeding down a thoroughfare carefully picking their way. Just ahead of them was a little foreigner, a member of one of the legations, who was having just as much difficulty as they in keeping on his feet. Finally the little fellow slipped and fell, but not with sufficient force to injure him. His dignity, however, received a frightful shock, for he sprawled over the pavement in the most ludicrous way.

The lady could not restrain a smile, perceiving which the irate foreigner, as soon as he had picked himself up, rushed forward and presented the official with his card.

The recipient looked the card over very carefully. "Beg pardon," said he, "but why am I thus favored?"

"Your ladee here," raged the foreigner, "she laugh at me as I fall! I, sir, I demand the satisfaction!"

The American gently handed back the card. "I'd like to oblige you, my dear sir," said he, "but I think you've addressed the wrong party. I would suggest that you go to this lady's brother and demand of him the satisfaction you seek. She is no blood relative of mine!"

Oppose Eccentric Dances.

London hostesses, following the tradition of the land which found its way into the saying "Write a letter to the Times," are letting newspapers know that they will resist to the utmost any effort to introduce the grizzly bear hug and other American dances into English ballrooms. The newspapers themselves do not share the fear that these freaks of the waxed floor will gain a foothold there, but one of them says that "though the craze for freak dancing prevalent in America has not yet invaded England, the American influence is plainly visible in many English ballrooms, and eccentricities in dancing seem to be gaining favor with a section of the dancing public."

New Idea in Teapots.

The tipsy teapot is popular nowadays at afternoon teas. It may be found in Fifth avenue homes and in the rooms of the Barnard college girls. The pots are handy for brewing tea daintily and quickly The tipsy teapot has six legs instead of feet. In the teapot is a special receptacle for the tea, with holes for the water to percolate from the main part of the pot. The tea is placed in the little compartment and then the pot is tipped on its side, permitting the steaming water to absorb the strength of the tea leaves.—New York Press.

Cured By a Native Herb.

On board a vessel bound for India recently a man was bitten by a poisonous reptile; both the ship doctor and a famous surgeon failed to control the poison fast spreading through his system.

In a day the vessel reached port. An Indian medicine man was sent for, who produced a native herb which quickly allayed the poison and the man's life was saved.

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And patronage but gives him pain,
Tread lightly friends; let no rude sound
Disturb his solitude profound,
Here let him live in calm repose,
Unsought except by men he owes
And when he dies, go plant him deep,
That naught may break his dreamless sleep;
Where no rude clamor may dispel
The quiet that he loved so well.
And when the world may know its loss,
Place on his grave a wreath of moss,
And on the stone above, "Here lies
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Personal Affront.

Striking members of the Amalgamated Skirt Stitchers were holding a conference.

"Where is that tall, thin girl who joined the union last week?" inquired the walking delegates.

The secretary arose to reply:

"She handed in her resignation this morning."

"What was her reason?"

"She took offense when she was called on to act as a picket."—Judge.

First Mail Coach in 1784.

A theater owner was responsible for the first mail coach in 1784. John Palmer, Bath, England, saw that it took four days to get his actors from London. He went to the government authorities and persuaded them to start a number of coaches to carry the mails, and that these coaches should be built for speed and drawn by the fastest animals in England. In a little while a revolution was worked.

The first to rule over all England was Egbert, King of Wessex, who united all the various petty kingdoms and became King of England in 827. The greater kingdom was disrupted from 878 to 958, when the Danes ruled north of the Thames. In the latter year King Edgar reunited the kingdom and since that time it has never been partitioned. Between Edmund Ironside (1016) and Edward the Confessor (1042) three Danish kings ruled all England, Canute, Harold I. and Hardicanute. The first king of Great Britain was James I. (1603). The first king of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland was George III. From the conquest of Ireland in 1172 by Henry II. the kings of England were styled Lord of Ireland until the assumption of the title King of Ireland by Henry VIII., and thereafter this title was used until the act of union in 1801. The imperial sovereignty of India was assumed by Queen Victoria.

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Good Game Tonight.

The ball game between the Catholics and Lutherans of the Church league at the ball park this evening, promises to be hotly contested. The Catholics hope to continue their winning streak, while the Lutherans, elated by their late vistories, will make a desperate effort to raise their standing. Some game is expected.

Young Couple Wedded.

Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice performed the ceremony uniting in marriage Alfred Phillipelli and Miss Lena Biogi, both of Charleroi. The couple will live here.

INDEPENDENTS TAKE TWO OUT OF THREE FROM WASHINGTON

Charleroi won its second and the last of a series of three games with Washington Saturday afternoon, on the home grounds by a score of 6 to 2. The vistory came on July 4th at Washington, when a double header was divided. Enoch undertook to pitch for Washington but was sent to the woods and Murray took his place. Guder, the diminutive catcher for Charleroi captured five of the 14 hits which Charleroi secured. John "Scissors" McIlvaine, late of Richmond, in the United States league played first base for Charleroi and distinguished himself by bringing in two runs. Batteries—Charleroi, Keifer and Guder; Washington, Enoch, Murray and McWilliam.

Donora Wants Public Building.

Representative Charles Matthews of New Castle last week introduced a bill appropriating $100,000 for the erection of a postoffice building at Donora.

Off to Atlantic City.

D. N. Hall left this morning for Atlantic City, where he will attend the Prohibition National convention as a delegate from this county.

LOCAL MENTION

J. O. Guseman of near Carmichaels was a guest over Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Chalfant of Fallowfield avenue.

Paxton Holyfield has gone to Morgantown, W. Va., where he will visit friends.

Frank Carlysle and Charles Murdorff of Brownsville, Harry Hartsock of Pittsburg and T. J. Little of Donora were Sunday visitors in Charleroi.

James Peterman has gone to Meadville where he will spend his vacation.

Miss Sara Hileman of California has been a guest of friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Whitlatch of Rices Landing were Sunday visitors in Charleroi.

T. Jay Reeves this morning began work as a baggage master for the Pennsylvania railroad at Monongahela.

Louis Beigel, formerly a shoe merchant of Charleroi who is now located in the East End, Pittsburg was a visitor in town this morning.

Frank Ingold, formerly of Charleroi and Benjamin Hagelbarger, of Akron, Ohio, were over Sunday visitors with friends

LARGE CROWDS AT ELDORA SUNDAY

Large crowds in search of relief from the intense heat of Sunday visiteed Eldora Park where they found comfort under thes hade of the trees and out in the open. For the first Sunday in several weeks it did not rain, and the outing people suffered no inconvenience from that source. The Charleroi Italian band gave two splendid concerts, which were highly enjoyed.

Speaking Conscientiously.

Senator La Follette during his recent visit to Philadelphia said to a reporter, apropos of a flagrant piece of hypocrisy:

"Why, the man's as bad as a Newport groom I heard of the other day.

"This groom stood beside his master while a veterinary examined a costly cob. The veterinary, at the end of his examination, pronounced the cob incurable and took leave. Then the master, sighing heavily, turned to the groom and said;

"'Well, James, what am I to do with the poor beast now?'

"'Conscientiously speakin', sir,' the groom replied, 'I think you'd better part with him now to another gentleman, sir.'"

On the Job.

Representative Hamilton of West Virginia paid a tribute to Republican Leader Mann that is a gem in its way.

"The gentleman from Illinois," said Mr. Hamilton, "only eats on Sundays and never sleeps at all. If he had been a marshal under Napoleon at Waterloo the battle might have resulted differently, because he would have discovered the absence of Grouchy at the proper time and suggested the absence of a quorum. And, if necessary, he would have halted the hosts of Wellington by a well-interposed demand for the yeas and nays."

THOUGHT END AT HAND

DEPUTY CORONER RECORDS THE SCARE OF HIS LIFE.

Gleaming Eyes Through the Darkness Caused Fear of Things Both Earthly and Unearthly, but in the End He Laughed.

"It was my second day at the morgue," said Albert Meyers, deputy coroner, "and I was still new in the work of taking care the dead. I had to stay at the morgue during the night, as one of my fellow workers was on a vacation.

"At about ten o'clock I retired. My room was upstairs. During the day we had brought two suicides, one 'floater,' and two accident victims to the morgue, and, as is natural with a man who is not used to the work, I had a peculiar feeling all day, as I had never seen so many bodies at one time.

"Well, they are all locked in the ice box and there's no reason to be shaky," I thought to myself, and soon fell asleep.

"It was just midnight when I was suddenly awakened by something heavy fall upon my legs, and remain there.

"While I slowly arose in my bed to see what it was I heard the city hall bell announcing midnight. There—at the end of my bed were two fiery, sparkling eyes which stared straight at me.

"I was horror stricken. I had never believed in the stories of the superstitious, who say that at midnight the ghosts walk,. Nor had I ever believed for a moment that the dead select that hour to hold their nightly conventions.

"But I was at the morgue. I knew there were five bodies down in the ice box. Unwittingly came to me the idea that one of them might have been still alive; the fear that I might have forgotten to lock the ice box added to my fright.

"Is it not possible, I thought, that if such an unfortunate person, suddenly awakened to the fact that he was to be buried alive, gathering together all his strength, might have broken out of the ice box, found the door unlocked, and, intuitively following the breath of human life, come up here, to take revenge."

"While these terrible thoughts flashed through my excited mind, the two eyes with that fierce greenish fire in them, still stared at me. I tried to yell, but could not utter a sound. I endeavored to move; it seemed as though I was paralyzed.

"Suddenly, when I was nearly insane through fear, the mysterious thing with the piercing eyes jumped up, turned around, landed on the floor, and started a furious chase around the room.

"Within another moment I was out of my bed, and not two minutes had elapsed when I held in my hand, furiously shaking him—Tom, the morgue cat!

"Cold sweat stood on my forehead, but I had to laugh.

"I have not found out yet whether the appearance in my room of the cat at midnight was a well planned joke on the part of my fellow-workers, or simply a peculiar coincidence."—Milwaukee Free Press.

Evolution of the Organ.

As such, the organ was never really invented, but has been a gradual evolution from the first single hollow reed pipe or whistle sounded by the breath of man. This was the origin of the Pan Pipes, according to the pretty legend of the infatuation of that god for the nymph Syrinx. The organ of today, according to C. Norman Kemp, delivering the Keith lecture in Edinburgh, is the largest and most complicated musical instrument, and the same might have been said in the second century B. C. of the hydraulic organ of the Romans, which probably owed to these qualities its high place in popular and royal favor. Pneumatic organs gradually came into use in the early centuries of our era, during which period they were used exclusively in places of amusement, while it is recorded that the organ was used in public worship in Spain about the middle of the fifth century, and in English churches during the seventh century. At this period keys in the modern sense of the term were evidently unknown, the control of the pipes being only by means of perforated sliders, still, however, in use, though for a different purpose.

Paris Lacks Room.

The housing problem is dominating all others in Paris at the present time. There exist in Paris 30,000 families of six persons, 5,000 of ten, and 1,[illegible] of 15. Of the former 1,097 of the second 142 and of the last 23 live in one room. The average mortality from consumption for the whole of France is 1.79 per thousand, but in certain parts of the St. Merri quarter of Paris it is 9.84, while the general mortality is 42 per thousand. From 1903 to 1911 1,410 families, making a total of 6,828 children, had a death roll of 3,429—nearly half.

There are numerous cases of families of eight persons living in one room which is only lighted when the door is left open. A representative of the Matin has made a tour of the overcrowded areas of the city. It is a sordid and repulsive tale he tells. People are sleeping in cellars. In some of the rooms there are no panes in the windows, the openings being stuffed with rags. [illegible] single room $60 a year is charged in some districts.

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First Pres	5	1	.831
W. A. Pres	4	2	.667
W. A. Pres	4	1	.800
Catholics	3	2	.600
Methodists	4	3	.571
Baptists	3	4	.429
Christians	2	4	.333
Lutherans	2	3	.300
Episcopals	1	4	.200

Games this Week.

Monday—Luthenns vs Catholics.
Tuesday—Christans vs Methodists.
Wednesday—Caholics vs Christians.
Thursday—Episcopals vs. W. A. Pres.
Friday—First Pres. vs. Baptists.

NATDNAL LEAGUE

Yestrday's Results.

Cincinnati 2, Brooklyn 1 (10 innings).

Chicago 3, St. Louis 0.

Reults Saturday

Cincinnati 2, Pittsburg 1.
New Yorl 5, Brooklyn 3.
St. Louis 12, Chicago 7.
Philadelpia 13, Boston 11 (13 innings).

Sanding of the Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct
Standing	56	13	.812
Chicago	40	27	.597
Pittsburg	40	28	.588
Cincinnai	38	35	.521
Philadelbhia	30	35	.462
Brooklyn	27	13	.386
St. Louis	23	47	.373
Boston	21	52	.288

Today's Schedule.

Philadedphia at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

PENNY WISE, POUND FOOLISH

Contractor Saved Ms Nickel, but Was Out Something in the Transaction.

How to save a nickel and lose a thousand dollars is a lesson learned by a Bronx contractor. He was at the Fordham station of the Third avenue elevated and he wanted to go to West Farms, at the end of the Lenox subway, to submit a bid on a contract. The ordinary way to make such a trip would be to pay two car fares, but this careful contractor saw a way to complete the journey for a single fare, but he says he will never do it again.

He bought an elevated ticket and rode down town to Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, where he got a transfer to the downtown subway train. He intended to ride down to the next station, Mott avenue, get off there and cross to the uptown side and ride back to his destination, thus saving five cents. Unfortunately that day there was an accident in the subway, the trains were blocked for nearly an hour and he was in a train that was stalled half way between two stations. When he finally did arrive at the office he found all the bids had been opened and the contract awarded. His bid, however, was lower than the one accepted, yet it was for a sum sufficiently large to have shown him a cool profit of $1,000.

Then he went out and spent about $20 in drinks to drown his sorrow.—New York Times.

The Same Effect.

Benevolent Lady—Little boy, will you give this temperance tract to your father?

Urchin—Me dad don't drink now, leddy.

Benevolent Lady—Oh, how good. Did he read the last tract I gave him?

Urchin—No, leddy. He's training for a prize fight.—Baltimore Sun.

INDEPENDENT TELEPHONE CO. HAS GOOD YEAR

During the past ten years the Independent telephone companies, operating in this section of the Monongahela Valley, have experienced a wonderful growth, says the Roscoe Ledger. In the face of strong opposition from the Bell interests that have forged ahead until today the independent lines reach to almost every town above Monongahela City. Franchises have been granted to them in Donora and that line will shortly be built. In Belle Vernon, where efforts were made to stop the entrance of the independents, in less than two years, over 150 phones have been installed and orders for more awaiting execution.

From the press of the California Sentinel comes the latest directory of the independent lines in this section. The service is one that no sane person could find fault with. In this directory every subscriber has free service with every other one named in the book. The territory embraces Centerville, California, Coal Centre, Roscoe, Belle Vernon, Fayette City, Charleroi, McMahan Borough, Twilight, Beallsville and many other points in this section of Washington County. An immense territory is covered in this free service and the fact that the independent companies are able to grant to the public so much service is further evidence of the enormous handicap they have been put to by the Bell interests. They have successfully fought their way to recognition in spite of great odds and today stand as a public service institution in the truest sense of the words.

Speaking of Colds.

This is precisely what fully two-thirds of the people in this part of the country seem to be doing at this particular time of year and under such weather conditions as have obtained for the last few weeks. This morning the New Englander who can sound a nasal letter clearly and unobstructedly is apt to be an object of envy among his or her associates. There appears to be no escape from the suggestion of a cold. It is even cold comfort to be told by Dr. J. B. Huber, in the New York Medical Journal, that colds seem to be the exclusive privilege of civilization; that the human race did not snuffle much until it began to build houses and to wear clothes, and that an essential element in the catching of colds has been the disturbance of equilibrium in the body through constantly passing from the superheated home into low temperatures without the house. The fact remains that the human race, or that portion of it which is found in this latitude, does build houses and wear clothes, and that it finds houses and clothes indispensable, even when winter is engaged in so mild an occupation as lingering in the lap of spring.—Manchester Union.

Referred to an Expert.

A stylishly dressed woman in a smart-looking brougham narrowly averted running over a messenger boy riding a bicycle. The woman stopped her car and opened the door of the electric to express her sympathy.

But the boy was ahead of her, and in a harangue that for emphasis would have made Captain Kidd or any of the old buccaneers green with envy, told her exactly what he thought of the incident.

The woman closed the door hurriedly, and, turning to her eight-year-old son, who, dressed like Lord Fauntleroy, sat demurely beside her, said in a shocked voice:

"I never heard such language in my life."

"Oh, that's nothing," the little fellow told his mother. "You ought to have heard the cook talking to the neighbors about you the other day."

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WORKING NIGHT AND DAY ON NEW FURNACES

Pittsburg Steel Company Hastening Monessen Plant

FINISHING UP STOVES

Four Practically Complete---Start Made on Second Furnace

Working night and day, excepting Sunday, a force of 600 men is making rapid progress on the construction of the blast furnaces being built by the Pittsburg Steel company at Monessen. Four of the stoves of the first blast furnace have been practically completed and work begun on four more of the second blast furnace. The two blast furnaces, which are the first to be built at Monessen will occupy a site at the northern end of the present plant.

The blast furnaces are to be of a new type. In order to get a good draught they are somewhat higher than the usual furnace and when finished, it is said will be the highest in the country. One of the stoves was practically completed on Saturday, when a tall stack was put on. The other three stoves composing the first blast furnace will be finished as rapidly as possible, while work is being continued on the stoves of the second furnace.

Much skilled labor is required in the construction of the blast furnaces, including carpenters and carpenter's helpers. Most of the work is being done by the Pittsburg Steel company itself. In addition to the skilled labor, much foreign labor is employed and an average wage is being paid.

Although the work will proceed with all possible haste, it will probably be a year before the blast furnaces will be put in operation.

PROPRIETOR ILL; STORE GOES INTO HANDS OF RECEIVER

The department store of M. Janavitz of Monessen was closed last Friday afternoon by A. C. Ellis, receiver in bankruptcy. Mrs. Janavitz who has been managing the business during the long and tedious illness of her husband, made an attempt to adjust the debts with the creditors and made a liberal proposition, but they refused to accept it and the store was forced into bankruptcy and closed.

Mr. and Mrs. Janavitz have had many reverses during the past two or three years which has been a great drain on their resources says the Monessen Independent. They have paid thousands of dollars in doctor bills, hire and traveling expenses and it was a physical impissibility to meet all claims promptly. It was an accumulation of unforseen circumstances which brought on the business troubles at this time.

Miss Ethel Waddell of Pittsburg, who has been a guest of her sister, Mrs. E. N. Duty, returned home today.

Discount on Taxes Now

Five Per Cent Off on State and County Assessment This Month

State and county taxes for this district are being received at a five per cent reduction this month at the Bank of Charleroi. Allen S. Mansfield former tax collector for Charleroi, is receiving the taxes. This district includes Charleroi, North Charleroi, Twilight and Fallowfield township. The first of August the taxes will be received at face and after a month with a ten per cent addition.

FACTORY VACATION IS ENDED

Macbeth-Evans Factory Starts After Week's Shutdown

ARE REPAIRING TANK

After being closed down a week for stock-taking and repairs, the Charleroi plant of the Macbeth-Evans Glass company started operation this morning. The tank, is still not running, and will be idle for about a month, during which time repairs will be made to it. Yearly repairs are necessary to the tank.

The building at the north end of the Macbeth-Evans property to be used for a new factory is nearly completed, and the indications are that the new factory will be put into use sometime this fall. Other buildings that will be as additions to certain departments will follow.

To Hold League Meeting.

A meeting of the Charleroi Church League has been called for tonight at the parlors of the Bank of Charleroi. Matters pertaining to the operation of the league will come up for discussion.

L. C. B. A. TO HOLD AN OUTING

The members of St. Jerome's Branch L. C. B. A. planned an outing at their last meeting. They decided to go to Eldora Park Wednesday evening on the 7:45 car. Donora, Monongahela and Monessen Branches have been invited.

Everybody's Drinking it. Keystone Coffee. City Grocery. eod-tf

C. R. Peregrine has been spending a few days at Chautaqua.

TWO DEATHS FOLLOW AUTOMOBILE CRASH

Greene County Men Fatally Hurt When Machine Plunges Over Embankment--Were Returning Home From Races

In an auto wreck caused it is believed by a bit of neglected roadway in the Clay district of West Virginia, near Blacksville at 9 o'clock Saturday night two men were killed and two others injured.

The Dead.

RICHARD EWART, of Waynesburg, 46 years of age, owner of the automobile, chest crushed and neck broken; died soon afterwards.

ALFRED DELANEY, of Waynetownship, skull fractured compound fracture of both legs and internal injuries; died at 5:30 o'clock Sunday morning.

The Injured.

THOMAS AREFORD, of Khedive, 30 years old; hand crushed and suffering from shock.

JOSEPH WEBSTER, of Waynesburg 18 years old, escaped with a severe shaking up.

The men, all of whom are known in Charleroi, were on their way from Fairmont, W. Va., where they had attended races. It is claimed that Ewart turned aside to avoid a bad part of the road and in the darkness failed to see danger which lurked in front. He drove the machine, which was traveling at about seven miles an hour over a slip, the car plunging 20 feet below.

Webster was the first to recover Areford soon regained his senses and the two pulled out the other two men. Ewart died before physicans could be summoned and Delaney succummed at the home of a nearby resident early Sunday.

TO RAISE FUNDS FOR FARM EXPERT

Agriculturalists Take Action to Secnre Services of Experienced Man

At a recent meeting of the farmers of Washington county held in the Board of Trade rooms at Washington Saturday afternoon it was determined to at once proceed with the plan to raise the $1,500 necessary to provide the county's part of the sum necessary to bring an agricultural expert here. A committee of nine members of the county seat Board of Trade was named to at once take up the work of securing subscriptions.

The members of this committee are as follows: J. M. McDowell, Washington, R. D. 7; R. M. Carrons, Washington; Charles E. Crothers, Taylorstown; J. J. Humbert, Washington; A. J. Allison, Washington; J. H. Pollock, South Strabane; W. J. Mehaffey, Claysville; R. L. Munce, North Strabane, and G. W. Dudderar, secretary of the Board of Trade.

The work of raising the funds for the expert will be carried on by this committee under the direction of the agricultural bureau of the Board of Trade.

TEST BEING MADE OF PARCELS POST

Uncle Sam Experimenting With New Scheme on the Rural Routes

In some localities where there are rural delivery routes a test is now being made of the parcels post system by the United States Postoffice department. The first is being made under a new ruling which has just been made by Postmaster General Frank Hitchcock. At present the parcels post will affect only the rural routes, but should the experiment prove a success in the country, city routes will be added later. Under the present system all fourth-class matter weighing less than 11 pounds will be delivered on the rural routes.

The maximum cost for the delivery of an 11 pound package will be 25 cents. No difference will be made in the distance which the package is carried by the government in this wise differing from the charges of the express companies.

Postage shall be paid at the rate of one cent each two ounces or less, two cents for more than two ounces. The scale is graduated for packages weighing more than four ounces. Under present conditions Uncle Sam carries parcels through the mails to foreign countries at a much lower rate than for his own citizens.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira L. Nickeson and children visited at the Montgomery

EXPERIMENT IN CHURCH SUCCESS

System of Combining Service and Sunday School Works Well

The attention of church people among the Protestant denominations of the county was upon the Methodist Episcopal church of Charleroi Sunday at the time of the trial of an innovation in Sunday School and church service. The innovation was, in brief, a combination of the Sunday school and church morning service. Successful results attended the experiment the first day. The Sunday school attendance was up to the average and there was a greater number of adults present.

The service began at 10:30 o'clock in the morning. This was one h our later than Sunday school usually started. The real change was that one song service was made to do for both church and Sunday school. Rev. F. A. Richards preached a 25 minute sermon and there was a lesson hour of the usual length. Adjournment was taken promptly at 12:15. Under the new system everything is carried out with a precision. Nothing runs over time and everything is carried out according to detailed program.

WILL RECEIVE BIDS FOR SIGNS

State Highway Commissioner Bieglow Arranging for Posts on Hand

State Highway Commissioner Bigelow has asked for bids for the first sign posts to be erected by the state along main highway routes. The bids are asked on 1,000 posts to be furnished as needed, the index boards as well as the posts to be of metal according to designs adopted by the commissioner some time ago. The posts will be erected along improved highways and in such other parts of the state as are needed because of crossing routes. Severe penalties for defacing of the sign posts will be made. Metal posts and signs will be considerable of an imimrovement over the old-fashioned wooden ones, the lettering of which wore off and left the inscription unintelligible.

Disbursed Big Pay.

Something like $7,500 was disbursed in pay to the employes of the Imperial Glass factory Saturday. This is larger than the ordinary pay and indicates the prosperous condition of the bottle business.

THE COYLE THEATRE SAFEST HOUSE IN STATE-CLEAN, COOL AND COMFORT-

PROMINENT CHARLEROI WOMAN DIES SUDDENLY

Large Tank Breaks Down

Necessitates Part of Imperial Bottle Plant Being Suspended

With hardly more than a start made on an extra month's run, the big tank at the Imperial Bottle factory has broken down, necessitating the closing of that part of the factory for the summer, while repairs are being made. The tank broke down on July 4. Three shifts are now being employed at the amber tank, many of the men who were thrown out of work by the accident of the big tank thus being cared for. It will take some weeks to repair the tank. August is a vacation month for the bottle workers, so that not until September will the tank be put in operation again.

LIMIT IS SET FOR MOTORISTS

Joy Riders to be Punished at North Belle Vernon

DRASTIC LAW IN EFFECT

Determined to put a stop to fast motoring through the borough as a menace to life, North Belle Vernon has put into effect a drastic law, which the council there recently adopted. By the new law motor cars must not be driven faster than one mile in two and a half minutes through the borough.

At points where there are "Danger, Run Slow" signs, no greater speed than a mile in five minutes, or 12 miles an hour will be tolerated. An offender for the first violation will be subject to a fine of from $10 to $25 or imprisonment of not more than 10 days. The second violation will subject the offender to a fine of $50 or imprisonment for 20 days.

WILL CONCLUDE TOURNAMENT BY BY GAME TONIGHT

With a game between Fred Brady and Hugh E. Fergus, Esq., a billiard tournament that began before the time of the fire at Elks' Club will be concluded tonight and the prize a diamond stick pin donated by John B. Schafer will be awarded. The contest narrowed down to Brady and Fergus Saturday, the final contestant to drop out being Justice of the Peace Joseph Wheeler. Both Brady and Fergus feel confident of victory.

Mrs. H. J. Repman Succumbs This Morning to Heart Failure

SUFFERED BRIEF TIME

Took Sick Sunday Evening---Active in Church and Club Circles.

Charleroi people were profoundly shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. Eleanor M. Repman, wife of Dr. Harry J. Repman, which occurred in the early hours this morning of heart failure, at her home at 406 Fifth street. Up until 10 o'clock the previous evening Mrs. Repman was in her usual health, when she was attacked with a stomach affection in the nature of acute indigestion. Her symptoms were not alarming at first, but she grew worse so steadily that her husband, Dr. Repman called in some of the neighboring physicians, but all that they could do was unavailing, and Mrs. Repman succumbed to heart failure shortly after 1 o'clock.

This sudden and untimely death falls with crushing force, not only upon the bereaved husband and family but upon a wide circle of friends among whom Mrs. Repman was universally beloved. She was one the leading club women of the to as well as active in church and c work. Every public movement which women had a part found in Mrs. Repman an energetic and ardent worker, and her services and co-operation were always sought in these affairs and given with a cheerfulness that made her a valued member of society. She was one of the original members of the Athene Club of Charleroi, which is one of the most successful and prominent federated woman's clubs in western Pennsylvania and at the time of her death was a member of the program committee and was working on the program for the ensuing year.

In church work Mrs. Repman was also equally active, being a membe of the First Presbyterian church. As a member of the Lady's Aid society she was one of the leaders, and in this capacity did much good to those in distress and affliction. She was a so a charter member of the Easte Star Chapter, which was organiz in Charleroi but a few weeks ago.

Mrs. Repman was born in Titusville January 27, 1880. She was the daughter of the late William McNaughton, and after completing her education entered the McKeesport hospital to study for a trained nurse. While there she met Dr. Harry J. Repman, to whom she was married in September, 1902, shortly after her graduation. Dr. Repman had located in Charleroi, where he is one of the leading physicians, and the couple have resided here ever since their marriage.

Besides her husband Mrs. Repman is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mary McNaughton, who at the beginning of the season purchased a cottage at Chautauqua, N. Y., where she moved form Charleroi and four brothers. These are Dr. J. W. McNaughton of Charleroi, and George, William and Harold, who are in Canado. The funeral services have not yet been arranged.

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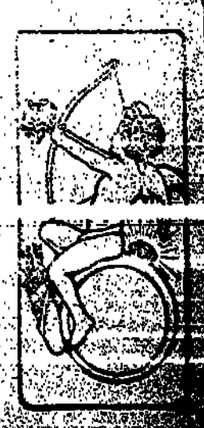

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MRS. H. J. REPMAN.

The death of Mrs. H. J. Repman, which occurred suddenly this morning, comes as a profound shock to her many friends and acquaintances in Charleroi. Cut down in the prime of active young womanhood, with scarcely a moment's warning, her demise is all the more sorrowful.

Mrs. Repman was a splendid representative of the type who is solving the problem of woman's advancement and place in the world's work. First of all she was pre-eminently a home maker, but her housewifely duties did not deter her from entering into broader fields of culture and knowledge. Before her marriage she successfully qualified for a profession which materially broadens woman's sphere of helpfulness to her fellow beings, and in the practice of this profession she developed a high degree of human sympathy that constituted one of the chief charms of her lovely nature. Modest, unassuming, optimistic and cheerful she went about doing good wherever it was possible, and radiating sunshine and happiness upon all who were graced with her presence. The world is better for Mrs. Repman having lived within it, and her brief span of womanly life has been successful in the highest sense of the world.

HIS POWER CRUMBLING.

William Flinn's power in Pennsylvania politics is crumbling. He is now practically alone in his determination to wreck the Republican party of the State and give the electoral votes of Pennsylvania either to Col. Roosevelt or the Democratic candidate for the Presidency. A few months ago Flinn through a working agreement with Mayor W. A. Magee of Pittsburg controlled the Allegheny county delegates to the Republican State convention. He went into party of the delegates and was almost [illegible] of the delegates and was almost [illegible] he personally named the candidates for auditor general and State treasurer. He selected members of his own family including himself as delegates to the Republican national convention. No effort was made to stay or stop him. He was gratified with his abundant success.

Things are different now with Flinn, however. He was unable to control the national convention and from the opening of that gathering he urged a bolt. He proclaimed that he would not only bolt himself but that the Republicans of Pennsylvania would bolt with him. Republicans who had been regular all their lives protested but Flinn insisted that they were bolters with him. Immediately his power weakened. The Pennsylvania Republicans were not able to get exactly what they wanted but they refused to follow Flinn in his bolting of the national ticket.

Now has come the blow which seems certain to be fatal. Mayor Magee has personally served notice that he will not join Flinn in the proposed bolt. That takes every particle of strength away from the arrogant boss and he will bolt alone. The outlook for regular Republicanism in Pennsylvania seems brighter since Flinn has been properly placed

ELECTRIC SPARKS

There are other kinds of pruning than pruning trees. There is the old man's whiskers.

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A Catastrophe—Almost.

A flea and a fly in a flue
Were imprisoned, now what could they do?
Said the fly, "Let us flee."
"Let us fly," said the flea.
And they flew through a flaw in the flue."

—Dumb Animals.

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The railroad is so far ahead now in the mortality record that such things as the aeroplane and automobile have little show.

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People with such an intense love of money that they will do almost anything except to get it, are not altogether hopeless, but nearly so.

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It seems sensible to do right, after one has been caught doing something wrong.

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There is yet an impression that Shakespeare didn't corral quite all the good and original thoughts.

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A New York dog has been presented with a hero medal. The chances are the dog is sorry if he has to be bothered by wearing it.

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The fellow who can drink or leave it alone usually ends up with the fellows who never made any pretensions.

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It has come to be a pretty hard job to keep up to date on Presidential endorsements.

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The Washington Observer remarks that Teddy is a son of Fair Harvard, Taft is the child of Yale luck and Wilson is a Princeton tiger, and then asks when will W. & J. have a look in?

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The Ohio woman who was struck twice on the same cheek by lightning and was not injured either time ought to be a good money maker for a museum.

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There are those who never travel but live in the same rut the year around. Such persons are usually described by ourselves in the first person.

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Champ Clark is still speaker even though he didn't cut enough ice down at Baltimore to pull anything across worth while.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

The report of three suicides in Pittsburg in this morning's papers calls to mind a recent conversation with W. A. Ferguson, a Charleroi citizen who formerly lived in Pittsburg concerning the notoriety of Troy Hill, in Allegheny, as a suicide center.

"It used to be a common saying in Pittsburg that every cloudy or rainy day was productive of a suicide at Troy Hill," said Mr. Ferguson. "I remember on one occasion that the papers noted how the telephone rang one morning in the coroner's office.

"'Hello,' said the coroner, 'who is this?'

"'I'm so and so at number so and so,' said the voice, giving his name and street address, which I have forgotten. 'Are you the coroner?'

"'Yes.'

"'Well, come and get me, for I am dead.'

"As the street and number mentioned were at Troy Hill, the coroner [illegible] enough the subject was there dead as enough thes ubject was there dead as he had reported."

Did you notice how abruptly the Sunday baseball games at Donora ended this season?" asked a Charleroi citizen the other day, who is interested in the observance of law and order within the county. When the Sunday games started this season those opposed to them communicated with the county authorities, and were informed that it was up to the local officials to enforce the law. The latter began see-sawing about their authority, and the games continued. In the meanwhile a bunch of men in the county, who were determined that the law should be enforced got together, and went to the proper sources and the promoters of the game were told emphatically where to head in at. They promptly headed, and the games ceased.

"You will notice also that the baseball gambling pools are not run so brazenly open as they did last year. Governor Tener's blast on this proposition, as well as a little work in the right quarter have made the promoters exceedingly careful. There are some other things that are supposedly being kept under cover that are closely watched, and something is likely to drop some day.

"My little experience in this matter has shown me that it is a comparatively easy matter to flag these violations of the law and that people do not have to tolerate such conditions if they demand the enforcement of the law."

ROSCOE COMPANY HAS GOOD YEAR

In a statement for the six months ending June 29, the Roscoe Telephone company announces a net gain at the rate of about 8 per cent in the financial returns of the company. The rentals amounted to $775.60 and net toll business to 97.67. The net gain for the period mentioned was $318.66.

Must Do Without Almanac.

It looks as if the Chinese public in the south will be in a fix this year for the want of the usual almanac, which is an indispensable requisite in every household in order to distinguish between lucky and unlucky days and the like. The little kobos are sold by the hundreds of thousands and the trade got them ready as usual. To meet the situation new covers were put on with the new dates, while the inside remained the same as if there had been no change. The sale of these is strictly interdicted and nothing has been provided to take their place.—Pekin Daily News.

Fireman's Unique Wedding.

A fireman's wedding in a burnt-out church is certainly something of a novelty. Such a wedding has just taken place in the chancel of St. George's, Leicester, the greater part of the building having been destroyed by fire last year. It was the first fireman's wedding in Leicester, and the bridegroom's colleague, formed a guard of honor and arranged an arch of axes, etc., under which the bride and bridegroom passed out after the ceremony. Fireman Sturges, the bridegroom, was among those who fought the flames at St. George's last October.—London Tit-Bits.

Wooden Leg Joke.

Why is it, as a writer in the Bellman points out, that the general sense of humor is stirred when anything happens to a man's wooden leg, such as its loss or a knothole coming in it, or getting it under the cars? It is or was the same way with stealing a man's horse in the Far West. Both of these accidents are serious. Yet they are supposed to be subjects for mirth.—Minneapolis Journal.

In Ancient Days.

The chimney corner was a favorite place for early settlers when they took their tobacco. Buckets were the chief reliance of the fire fighters. When an alarm was cried each citizen grabbed his buckets and ran to answer it. If he couldn't respond in an instant he threw his buckets out his window, and his neighbor picked them up and carried them along.

Nations Brought Closer.

We have already spoken of the new telephone cable which is laid across the channel, so as to connect France with England, this being designed on the Pupin system, so that speech is very clear and the various provinces of England can now have connection with Paris. Recent news states that connection can now be made from London to Switzerland in a practical way for the first time, so that conversations can be held between London and Geneva by way of Paris and Lyons and between London and Basel by the way of Paris and Belfort.—Scientific American.

Copying the Mississippi.

The city of Seville, Spain, which is on the "banks of the sweet Guadalquiver," has been almost completely beleaguered recently by reason of the phenomenal rise of that river, which has abandoned its role of a meandering, sentimental stream and become a [illegible] struction in its course.

Put Ban on High Heels.

A Minneapolis manufacturer recently forbade the wearing of high heels on their shoes by the young women in his establishment.

RINGGOLDS TO HOLD REUNION AT BEALLSVILLE

The 39th annual reunion of the Ringgold Battalion, 22nd Pennsylvania Cavalry will beheld at Beallsville on Thursday, August 29. This date will mark the 50th anniversary of the greater part of the Battalion leaving for the front. No effort will be spared to make this the red letter reunion for the surviving veterans. The officers arranging for the event are David M. Snyder, president and H. H. Young, secretary.

CALL IS MADE FOR NEW PARTY

A call to the people of the United States who are in sympathy with the "National Progressive Movement," to send delegates to a national convention to open in Chicago August 5, was given out Sunday afternoon by United States Senator Joseph M. Dixon of Montana, Theodore Roosevelt's campaign manager in New York. The call is signed by members of the committee chosen at a meeting held in Chicago and also includes signatures of Roosevelt followers in forty States.

Among the signers of the call are William Flinn, Pittsburg; E. A. Van Valkenburg, Philadelphia and Gifford Pinchot and William Draper Lewis of Pennsylvania.

SCARED THE GARRISON

MOVING PICTURE CAMERA IN MEXICO STARTED PANIC.

Soldiers Thought It a Machine Gun and Were Overjoyed When the American Photographer Made Clear Their Mistake.

An American camera man recently ventured into Mexico to take some pictures of Mexican scenery, together with a parade of a Mexican regiment. Mistaking him for an insurrecto about to start another revolution by turning a machine gun on them, several hundred Mexican soldiers, comprising the garrison at Tia Juana, broke ranks while on dress parade and ran in every direction for shelter, says Motography.

Officers joined the privates in getting behind buildings and trenches, and the regimental bugler had hardly sounded the call to arms to repel the attack of the supposed invaders when the moving picture man, now thoroughly frightened himself, tucked his machine under one arm and started to run for the boundary line. He had gained the outskirts of the town when a Mexican officer ventured to snatch a look from his hiding place and, seeing the ground clear, ordered a charge with fixed bayonets. It took considerable prodding, however, to get the privates back into the ranks and the military formation.

The frightened operator was overhauled by mounted men, dragged back into town and taken before the commanding officer. The enraged soldiers wanted to make a target out of him then and there, but the officers prevailed upon them to let the regular military law take its course. The moving picture machine was carefully taken apart and searched for explosives. The camera man pleaded with the officers to let him go. He explained to the Mexicans that he was not a filibuster nor a soldier of fortune; that he was only working for a living. He went through a pantomime with the aid of a sheet on the wall to show the soldiers how pictures are taken for the nickelodeons in the United States.

Then a great light burst upon the intelligence of the commander in chief. He rapidly interpreted his discovery to his fellow officers and his privates. The moving picture man stood distrustfully by, not quite sure that he had yet made himself plain.

The soldiers were so overjoyed at the fact that they were to have been sent down into posterity by the moving picture route that the man was ordered to take their picture without fear of interruption. A brief examination, however, convinced the moving picture man that he could never accomplish the fact; but he feared to arouse the ire of the Mexicans, so he went through the motions of taking a real picture, while the soldiers marched back and forth within his range, drilled, fixed their bayonets, charged upon imaginary foes, pitched their tents and went through every detail of war life in Mexico.

His arms were aching from turning the crank of his broken machine, and he would have ordinarily used up several miles of film, when the regiment came to attention and the commander [illegible] his cap.

That was the end. The picture man was loaded down with cigarettes and cigars and presented with a silk scarf by one of the officers. He refused an invitation to dine and hurried with an escort of honor to the boundary line, the men insisting on carrying his machine for him.

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NEVER ALLOWED TO "INFORM"

Point of Military Etiquette That Is Impressed on Youngsters in the Service.

"No matter how much a second lieutenant in the army may know, he must never presume to 'inform' his superior officers," remarked a captain in one of the organizations of the National Guard of the District of Columbia recently.

"I found that out long ago. Col. O. B. Mitcham, in command of this artillery division, sent me a request for information along certain lines, and I dug out the material and wrote out a letter in reply which I thought was strictly military. I took it down to 'Sergt.' Drew at militia headquarters. Drew has been a post quartermaster sergeant in the islands, and has had more experience in the formality of military correspondence than any one I know of.

"Sergt. Mike looked at it one second and nearly fainted. 'Great Scott,' he gasped, 'you'd be shot at sunrise if you sent that along.'

"I had written, 'Sir, I have the honor to inform you, and so forth.'

"It looked good and military to me, but Sergt. Mike Drew, when he had recovered from the shock, wept on my shoulder and said:

"'My boy, don't you know in the army nobody is ever allowed to inform a superior officer? You may have all the information in the world, but don't presume to inform anybody that's even one inch over you. It will get you in bad. Just change that letter so it will read, I have the honor to report.'"

Where Strength Is Needed.

[illegible] before applauding thousands, and quite another to do it in the ordinary quiet concerns of daily life.

Diplomat.

A diplomat is a man who can call you a liar and make you like it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

PRESCRIPTION DID THE WORK

Doctor's Advice That at First Seemed Hard-Hearted Effected a Permanent Cure.

Dr. Stephen Smith, who was 88 years old on February 19, is one of New York's distinguished surgeons, and a founder of the first nurses' training school established in this country. He is also the originator of what he calls the "peanut cure" for tuberculosis. He used it with success long before fresh-air sanitariums and sleeping bags had come into vogue.

"I happened to invent the cure in this way," he said. "A rosy-cheeked, wholesome Irish girl brought her sister to my office and asked me what I could do for her. The sister was plain, sickly, and weak, and obviously had bad lungs.

"'What do you do for a living?' I asked the girl with the red cheeks.

"'Tend a corner peanut stand,' she said.

"'And what does your sister do?'

"'Oh, she's too sickly to be outdoors; we don't let her work.'

"'Well,' I said, 'you buy your sister a peanut stand and keep her outdoors. That's the only thing I can recommend.'

"The two girls looked horrified and departed. I did not think anything more about the case until two years later, when two big, healthy rosy-cheeked girls came to my office. I recognized one as the peanut stand keeper; the other I couldn't place. But she soon introduced herself as my old patient, the sickly sister of my rosy-cheeked visitor.

"'And what have you been doing to yourself?' I asked.

"'Keeping a peanut stand,' she said."

Worry.

"I can remember when you had to work eight hours a day," said the old-time friend.

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TOUCHED THEIR SOFT HEART

In the Circumstances, Expressed Hope of Irish Youths Seemed Somewhat Humorous.

Supreme Court Justice Cohalan of New York, who is proud of his Irish blood, also believes that for keen wit and humor no race in the world equals the Irish. The justice spent the greater part of last summer on the "auld sod" and when he came home he had acquired a great fund of funny anecdotes illustrative of the often unconscious humor of the natives he met.

He tells a story of two husky lads who were tenants of the same landowner and who were constantly embroiled either with the man himself or one of his agents. At last things came to such a pass that the two decided to waylay their landlord. They chose a favorable spot along the road over which they knew the landlord must travel that afternoon and crouched in the ditch waiting. To beguile the time each told the other a part of the punishment he had devised for the landlord.

Said one, "Oi'll tap him on the head wid me blackthorn and whin he falls Oi'll step on his face an—"

The other interrupted: 'Oi mane to cut off his ears, split his nose an' if he makes a fuss Oi'll slit his weazand."

They kept up the bloodthirsty conversation for some time and at last one noticed the day was almost done and that it was far past the time when the landlord might have been expected to pass. He interrupted his sanguinary threats to call the attention of his companion to the flight of time and the non-appearance of the man they expected, exclaiming:

"Och, the poor felley, Oi hope nothin's happened him!"

SET THE PACE IN RECEPTIONS

Splendid Affair Given by United States Ambassador Guild Dazzled St. Petersburg Society.

The German and Russian newspapers bristle with reports concerning an official reception by the American ambassador at St. Petersburg, Curtis Guild, in the splendid palace he occupies, which was formerly the residence of Count Orloff Denison. Not even Ambassador Leishman, glittering at the kaiser's court, could have been more imposing. The ambassador had at his side a functionary from the imperial court, who presented the guests. The ambassador's wife was beautifully gowned.

The guests were announced by a servant from the imperial ministry, who wore a black suit of eighteenth century style, with a lace jabot.

Mrs. Guild was greatly fatigued, for she had to stand three hours with outstretched hand in order that it might be kissed by all the men, according to the Russian fashion.

In the great dining hall on the floor above, hung with pictures of the Orloffs of the last three centuries, was a surprise for the guests. Instead of the usual tables with servants serving champagne, there were models in ice of a Russian farm house and an American cottage, lit with incandescent lights, from which flowed fountains of champagne. The American cottage fountain bubbled with dry wine, while the Russian emitted a fruity variety.

Real Eugene Aram.

A sale of relics of Eugene Aram reminds us that Lord Lytton's Aram was a very different personage from him who was hanged at York, who, judging from the published account of the trial, was merely a felon of the baser sort. He associated with low companions, married a low wife and practiced swindling with a miserable creature whom in his younger days he was associated with in stealing flower-roots—for they were both gardeners—and finally murdered him to secure a few pounds, the proceeds of a swindle.

Aram possessed a vigorous intellect, had mastered the learned languages, had read every classic that came in his way, and, says a distinguished writer, when the learned felon came to make his defense all Britain was astonished by a piece of pleading which, if given to the public among the defenses and under the name of Thomas Lord Erskine, so celebrated for this species of composition, would certainly not be deemed unworthy of the collection of its author.

Work For Kings.

The sphere of foreign affairs is one in which a British monarch, for all his complete subordination to constitutional forms, still exercises real power. Unlike the late king, who was his own traveling ambassador, and whose personality made him welcome in the capitals of Europe, George V. chooses to work through his ministers, but there is every reason to believe that the monarch's views will carry weight with the cabinet. Situated as he is above party, the king may readily work for international friendship and peace without being accused of betraying the country's interests.

Biggest Thing in the World.

Thomas Lee Evans, said a Naval veteran of Washington, "had, like most fighters, a tender heart.

"'Fighting Bob' had a specially tender heart toward children. I once heard him say, as he held his little grandchild's hand:

"'A child is the biggest thing in the world. A ragged, emaciated, hungry child is to me bigger than a battleship.'"

UP IN ARMS AGAINST CRITICS

London Theater Managers Resent "Roasts" and Newspaper Makes a Plain Talk.

One can easily sympathize with an actor manager, and not less so in a recent instance, with an actress-manageress, who finds that personal estimates of the merits of a play are not indorsed either by the critics or by that far more important section of the community, the playgoing public. But the growing practice on the part of those who control our theaters of showing something like petulance, or worse, when they find they have made a mistake is full of awkward possibilities. Gerald du Maurier's outburst is the latest instance in point. Because those whom he invited to express opinions on his new venture, "The Dust of Egypt," told the truth about it and failed to indulge in paeans of praise he writes a portentous letter to ask "What is a critic?" The best answer we have seen comes from A. C. Benson: "I suppose that an expert critic is a man with a natural faculty of discrimination which has been trained by experience." One is disposed to believe, after witnessing the sorry stuff so often put upon the stage, that a little more exercise of a faculty for discrimination trained by experience would be to the general advantage in the enterprise of the theater. It would spare the critics many dull hours, the managers much loss of money, and—where they cannot take their losses in a sporting spirit—of temper, while the public opinion of the stage and all its works would be immensely improved.—The Globe, London.

SENSE OF HONOR IN TRAMPS

Storekeeper Who Trusts "Gentlemen of the Road" Declares They Pay Debts Promptly.

In the north part of New York there is a postmaster, who is also owner of a small general store, who has ideas about the tramp that are different from the ideas entertained by the average citizen. The owner of the store and the representative of Uncle Sam is stationed at a junction of three or four railroads, and nearby is a wood, an ideal place for a tramps' camp, which has been a rendezvous for years.

Several years ago the storekeeper began selling goods to the hoboes for cash. He observed that the same faces came in regularly, at intervals of a month or more. Soon the tramps began to ask for credit, and the storekeeper extended it. He found that invariably the tramp came in and paid his bill on his next return to the rendezvous, or if he were on a long trip, a money order would be sent for the amount. He has dealt with the shifting population for nearly 20 years, and declares he has never lost a cent from a bad account with one. He does not know the names of his customers, except as they are accosted by their fellows by the road names they bear, and most of the accounts are kept in the storekeeper's mind.

Troublesome Moose of Maine.

Hancock county, which is in southeastern Maine, is suffering a plague of moose and up around the headwaters of Union river and in the region of Saponic and Nicholous lakes the people who stay on farms the year around are calling for help.

Last summer the animals did serious injury to farm crops. This winter, it appears, they have yarded in and fed upon varieties of slash that seemed to be the honest pioneer's last resource. One farmer writes the state commissioners of inland fisheries and game to the effect that several years ago he bought a tract of 200 acres of wild land with the intent to go over it annually and cut out hoop poles. He did that once.

Then, as he expresses it, about the time that thousands of sprouts came up "the moose came in," destroyed the sprouts "and continue annually to destroy at least $200 of poles besides the growth." And this man and his neighbors have no redress short of the ultimate gun, since, though a state law provides reimbursement for crop damages inflicted by deer, moose do not figure in this way in any statute.—Boston Transcript.

Time Signals by Telephone.

A mechanism has been attached to the time-clock at the Hamburg observatory by which the exact official time is transmitted to the telephone system of the city. From the fifty-fifth to sixtieth second of each minute the apparatus transmits a musical signal, which is followed by a phonographic announcement of the exact minute. The signals are transmitted by special wire to the headquarters of the telephone system, and thence to each local exchange. Any telephone subscriber who wishes to get the exact time has only to ask for the time connection at his exchange and to listen for the phonographic announcement. This is an improvement upon the American method by which time signals are transmitted by telegraph only once a day.—Youth's Companion.

Sacrificed to Reform.

"You have abandoned the picturesque custom of crowning a queen of the May?"

"Yes," replied the merry villager; "we had to give it up. There got to be so many candidates and so much campaigning that politics left us no time for business."

AWAKENED TRAIN OF THOUGHT

Little Incident That Would Have Made Almost Any Man Superstitious.

Seeking to dispel the pangs of loneliness occasioned by the absence of his wife, who had been away for several days visiting her parents in another city, a fashionable and well-known resident of the East side invited a number of his men friends to his home one night last week to play cards and clink glasses.

Being fond of music the host engaged a four-piece orchestra and while his guests exchanged deals and raised the cut glasses to their lips he found more pleasure in reclining in a favorite leather cushioned chair and listening to the music.

It was nearing the time for departure when one of the merry-makers proposed that each guest drink a toast to the host and that he respond. When all had followed the suggestion they turned toward the host. "Tell us what you are thinking of your wife," one suggested as the party giver hesitated.

Raising his glass to a level with his lips he was about to respond. "I was thinking and wondering—"

Just at that moment the orchestra began its rendition of "I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now."

The guests never heard the response, but if they had lingered outside and peered through the library window they would have seen him writing a letter which was later enclosed in an envelope bearing a special delivery stamp. The contents of the message have not been made public, but the wife came home two days later.—Kansas City Journal.

WITTY, AND ACTUAL TRUTH

But Probably Explanation of Washingtonian Failed to Satisfy Foreigner.

There is a certain public man in Washington long noted for his quaint wit. One day last winter, when the sidewalks were quite slippery by reason of a fall of sleet that morning, this official and his wife were proceeding down a thoroughfare carefully picking their way. Just ahead of them was a little foreigner, a member of one of the legations, who was having just as much difficulty as they in keeping on his feet. Finally the little fellow slipped and fell, but not with sufficient force to injure him. His dignity, however, received a frightful shock, for he sprawled over the pavement in the most ludicrous way.

The lady could not restrain a smile, perceiving which the irate foreigner, as soon as he had picked himself up, rushed forward and presented the official with his card.

The recipient looked the card over very carefully. "Beg pardon," said he, "but why am I thus favored?"

"Your ladee here," raged the foreigner, "she laugh at me as I fall! I, sir, I demand the satisfaction!"

The American gently handed back the card. "I'd like to oblige you, my dear sir," said he, "but I think you've addressed the wrong party. I would suggest that you go to this lady's brother and demand of him the satisfaction you seek. She is no blood relative of mine!"

Oppose Eccentric Dances.

London hostesses, following the tradition of the land which found its way into the saying "Write a letter to the Times," are letting newspapers know that they will resist to the utmost any effort to introduce the grizzly bear hug and other American dances into English ballrooms. The newspapers themselves do not share the fear that these freaks of the waxed floor will gain a foothold there, but one of them says that "though the craze for freak dancing prevalent in America has not yet invaded England, the American influence is plainly visible in many English ballrooms, and eccentricities in dancing seem to be gaining favor with a section of the dancing public."

New Idea in Teapots.

The tipsy teapot is popular nowadays at afternoon teas. It may be found in Fifth avenue homes and in the rooms of the Barnard college girls. The pots are handy for brewing tea daintily and quickly. The tipsy teapot has six legs instead of feet. In the teapot is a special receptacle for the tea, with holes for the water to percolate from the main part of the pot. The tea is placed in the little compartment and then the pot is tipped on its side, permitting the steaming water to absorb the strength of the tea leaves.—New York Press.

Cured By a Native Herb.

On board a vessel bound for India recently a man was bitten by a poisonous reptile: both the ship doctor and a famous surgeon failed to control the poison fast spreading through his system.

In a day the vessel reached port. An Indian medicine man was sent for, who produced from his chest some herbs, quickly allayed the poison and the man's life was saved.

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Cares more for rest than worldly gain,
And patronage but gives him pain,
Tread lightly friends; let no rude sound
Disturb his solitude profound,
Here let him live in calm repose,
Unsought except by men he owes
And when he dies, go plant him deep,
That naught may break his dreamless sleep;
Where no rude clamor may dispel
The quiet that he loved so well.
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Place on his grave a wreath of moss,
And on the stone above, "Here lies
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Personal Affront.

Striking members of the Amalgamated Skirt Stitchers were holding a conference.

"Where is that tall, thin girl who joined the union last week?" inquired the walking delegates.

The secretary arose to reply:

"She handed in her resignation this morning."

"What was her reason?"

"She took offense when she was called on to act as a picket."—Judge.

First Mail Coach in 1784.

A theater owner was responsible for the first mail coach in 1784. John Palmer, Bath, England, saw that it took four days to get his actors from London. He went to the government authorities and persuaded them to start a number of coaches to carry the mails, and that these coaches should be built for speed and drawn by the fastest animals in England. In a little while a revolution was worked.

The first to rule over all England was Egbert, King of Wessex, who united all the various petty kingdoms and became King of England in 827. The greater kingdom was disrupted from 878 to 958, when the Danes ruled north of the Thames. In the latter year King Edgar reunited the kingdom and since that time it has never been partitioned. Between Edmund Ironside (1016) and Edward the Confessor (1042) three Danish kings ruled all England, Canute, Harold I. and Hardicanute. The first king of Great Britain was James I. (1603). The first king of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland was George III. From the conquest of Ireland in 1172 by Henry II. the kings of England were styled Lord of Ireland until the assumption of the title King of Ireland by Henry VIII., and thereafter this title was used until the act of union in 1801. The imperial sovereignty of India was assumed by Queen Victoria.

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Good Game Tonight.

The ball game between the Catholics and Lutherans of the Church league at the ball park this evening, promises to be hotly contested. The Catholics hope to continue their winning streak, while the Lutherans, elated by their late vistories, will make a desperate effort to raise their standing. Some game is expected.

Young Couple Wedded.

Justice of the Peace E. E. Rice performed the ceremony uniting in marriage Alfred Phillipelli and Miss Lena Biogi, both of Charleroi. The couple will live here.

INDEPENDENTS TAKE TWO OUT OF THREE FROM WASHINGTON

Charleroi won its second and the last of a series of three games with Washington Saturday afternoon, on the home grounds by a score of 6 to 2. The vistory came on July 4th at Washington, when a double header was divided. Enoch undertook to pitch for Washington but was sent to the woods and Murray took his place. Guder, the diminutive catcher for Charleroi captured five of the 14 hits which Charleroi secured. John "Scissors" McIlvaine, late of Richmond, in the United States League played first base for Charleroi and distinguished himself by bringing in two runs. Batteries—Charleroi, Keifer and Guder; Washington, Enoch, Murray and McWilliam.

Donora Wants Public Building.

Representative Charles Matthews of New Castle last week introduced a bill appropriating $100,000 for the erection of a postoffice building at Donora.

Off to Atlantic City.

D. N. Hall left this morning for Atlantic City, where he will attend the Prohibition National convention as a delegate from this county.

LOCAL MENTION

J. O. Guseman of near Carmichaels was a guest over Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. J. R. Chalfant of Fallowfield avenue.

Paxton Holyfield has gone to Morgantown, W. Va., where he will visit friends.

Frank Carlysle and Charles Murdorff of Brownsville, Harry Hartsock of Pittsburg and T. J. Little of Donora were Sunday visitors in Charleroi.

James Peterman has gone to Meadville where he will spend his vacation.

Miss Sara Hileman of California has been a guest of friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Whitlatch of Rices Landing were Sunday visitors in Charleroi.

T. Jay Reeves this morning began work as a baggage master for the Pennsylvania railroad at Monongahela.

Louis Beigel, formerly a shoe merchant of Charleroi who is now located in the East End, Pittsburg was a visitor in town this morning.

Frank Ingold, formerly of Charleroi and Benjamin Hagelbarger, of Akron, Ohio, were over Sunday visitors with friends

LARGE CROWDS AT ELDORA SUNDAY

Large crowds in search of relief from the intense heat of Sunday visiteed Eldora Park where they found comfort under thes hade of the trees and out in the open. For the first Sunday in several weeks it did not rain, and the outing people suffered no inconvenience from that source. The Charleroi Italian band gave two splendid concerts, which were highly enjoyed.

Speaking Conscientiously.

Senator La Follette during his recent visit to Philadelphia said to a reporter, apropos of a flagrant piece of hypocrisy:

"Why, the man's as bad as a Newport groom I heard of the other day.

"This groom stood beside his master while a veterinary examined a costly cob. The veterinary, at the end of his examination, pronounced the cob incurable and took leave. Then the master, sighing heavily, turned to the groom and said;

"'Well, James, what am I to do with the poor beast now?'

"'Conscientiously speakin', sir,' the groom replied, 'I think you'd better part with him now to another gentleman, sir.'"

On the Job.

Representative Hamilton of West Virginia paid a tribute to Republican Leader Mann that is a gem in its way.

"The gentleman from Illinois," said Mr. Hamilton, "only eats on Sundays and never sleeps at all. If he had been a marshal under Napoleon at Waterloo the battle might have resulted differently, because he would have discovered the absence of Grouchy at the proper time and suggested the absence of a quorum. And, if necessary, he would have halted the hosts of Wellington by a well-interposed demand for the yeas and nays."

THOUGHT END AT HAND

DEPUTY CORONER RECORDS THE SCARE OF HIS LIFE.

Gleaming Eyes Through the Darkness Caused Fear of Things Both Earthly and Unearthly, but in the End He Laughed.

"It was my second day at the morgue," said Albert Meyers, deputy coroner, "and I was still new in the work of taking care the dead. I had to stay at the morgue during the night, as one of my fellow workers was on a vacation.

"At about ten o'clock I retired. My room was upstairs. During the day we had brought two suicides, one 'floater,' and two accident victims to the morgue, and, as is natural with a man who is not used to the work, I had a peculiar feeling all day, as I had never seen so many bodies at one time.

"Well, they are all locked in the ice box and there's no reason to be shaky," I thought to myself, and soon fell asleep.

"It was just midnight when I was suddenly awakened by something heavy fall upon my legs, and remain there.

"While I slowly arose in my bed to see what it was I heard the city hall bell announcing midnight. There—at the end of my bed were two fiery, sparkling eyes which stared straight at me.

"I was horror stricken. I had never believed in the stories of the superstitious, who say that at midnight the ghosts walk. Nor had I ever believed for a moment that the dead select that hour to hold their nightly conventions.

"But I was at the morgue. I knew there were five bodies down in the ice box. Unwittingly came to me the idea that one of them might have been still alive; the fear that I might have forgotten to lock the ice box added to my fright.

"Is it not possible, I thought, that if such an unfortunate person, suddenly awakened to the fact that he was to be buried alive, gathering together all his strength, might have broken out of the ice box, found the door unlocked, and, intuitively following the breath of human life, come up here, to take revenge."

"While these terrible thoughts flashed through my excited mind, the two eyes with that fierce greenish fire in them, still stared at me. I tried to yell, but could not utter a sound. I endeavored to move; it seemed as though I was paralyzed.

"Suddenly, when I was nearly insane through fear, the mysterious thing with the piercing eyes jumped up, turned around, landed on the floor, and started a furious chase around the room.

"Within another moment I was out of my bed, and not two minutes had elapsed when I held in my hand, furiously shaking him—Tom, the morgue cat!

"Cold sweat stood on my forehead, but I had to laugh.

"I have not found out yet whether the appearance in my room of the cat at midnight was a well planned joke on the part of my fellow-workers, or simply a peculiar coincidence."—Milwaukee Free Press.

Evolution of the Organ.

As such, the organ was never really invented, but has been a gradual evolution from the first single hollow reed pipe or whistle sounded by the breath of man. This was the origin of the Pan Pipes, according to the pretty legend of the infatuation of that god for the nymph Syrinx. The organ of today, according to C. Norman Kemp, delivering the Keith lecture in Edinburgh, is the largest and most complicated musical instrument, and the same might have been said in the second century B. C. of the hydraulic organ of the Romans, which probably owed to these qualities its high place in popular and royal favor. Pneumatic organs gradually came into use in the early centuries of our era, during which period they were used exclusively in places of amusement, while it is recorded that the organ was used in public worship in Spain about the middle of the fifth century, and in English churches during the seventh century. At this period keys in the modern sense of the term were evidently unknown, the control of the pipes being only by means of perforated sliders, still, however, in use, though for a different purpose.

Paris Lacks Room.

The housing problem is dominating all others in Paris at the present time. There exist in Paris 30,000 families of six persons, 5,000 of ten, and 1,390 of 15. Of the former 1,097, of the second 142 and of the last 23 live in one room. The average mortality from consumption for the whole of France is 1.79 per thousand, but in certain parts of the St. Merri quarter of Paris it is 9.34, while the general mortality is 44 per thousand. From 1903 to 1911 1,410 families, making a total of 6,828 children, had a death roll of 3,439—nearly half.

There are numerous cases of families of eight persons living in one room, which is only lighted when the door is left open. A representative of the Matin has made a tour of the overcrowded areas of the city. It is a sordid and repulsive tale he tells. People are sleeping in cellars. In some of the rooms there are no panes in the

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Catholics	3	2	.600
Methodists	4	3	.571
Baptists	3	4	.429
Christians	2	4	.333
Lutherans	2	3	.300
Episcopals	1	4	.200

Games this Week.

Monday—Lutherns vs Catholics.
Tuesday—Christans vs Methodists.
Wednesday—Cahalics vs Christians.
Thursday—Episcpals vs. W. A. Pres.
Friday—First Pres. vs. Baptists.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yestrday's Results.

Cincinnati 2, Brooklyn 1 (10 innings).

Chicago 3, St. Louis 0.

Rsults Saturday.

Cincinnati 2, Pittsburg 1.
New York 5, Brooklyn 3.
St. Louis 12, Chicago 7.
Philadelpia 13, Boston 11 (13 innings).

Sinding of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct
Standing	56	13	.812
Chicago	40	27	.597
Pittsburg	40	28	.588
Cincinnati	38	35	.521
Philadelphia	30	35	.462
Brooklyn	27	43	.386
St. Louis	28	47	.373
Boston	21	52	.288

Today's Schedule.

Philadedphia at Pittsburg.
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.
New York at Chicago.
Boston at St. Louis.

PENNY WISE, POUND FOOLISH

Contractor Saved Mc Nickel, but Was Out Something on the Transaction.

How to save a nickel and lose a thousand dollars is a lesson learned by a Bronx contractor. He was at the Fordham station of the Third avenue elevated and he wanted to go to West Farms, at the end of the Lenox subway, to submit a bid on a contract. The ordinary way to make such a trip would be to pay two car fares, but this careful contractor saw a way to complete the journey for a single fare, but he says he will never do it again.

He bought an elevated ticket and rode down town to Third avenue and One Hundred and Forty-ninth street, where he got a transfer to the downtown subway train. He intended to ride down to the next station, Mott avenue, get off there and cross to the uptown side and ride back to his destination, thus saving five cents. Unfortunately that day there was an accident in the subway, the trains were blocked for nearly an hour and he was in a train that was stalled half way between two stations. When he finally did arrive at the office he found all the bids had been opened and the contract awarded. His bid, however, was lower than the one accepted, yet it was for a sum sufficiently large to have shown him a cool profit of $1,000.

Then he went out and spent about $20 in drinks to drown his sorrow.—New York Times.

The Same Effect.

Benevolent Lady—Little boy, will you give this temperance tract to your father?

Urchin—He died drunk now, lady.

Benevolent Lady—Oh, how good! Did he read the last tract I gave him?

INDEPENDENT TELEPHONE CO. HAS GOOD YEAR

During the past ten years the Independent telephone companies, operating in this section of the Monongahela Valley, have experienced a wonderful growth, says the Roscoe Ledger. In the face of strong opposition from the Bell interests that have forged ahead until today the independent lines reach to almost every town above Monongahela City. Franchises have been granted to them in Donora and that line will shortly be built. In Belle Vernon, where efforts were made to stop the entrance of the independents, in less than two years, over 150 phones have been installed and orders for more awaiting execution.

From the press of the California Sentinel comes the latest directory of the independant lines in this section. The service is one that no sane perso could find fault with. In this directory every subscriber has free service with every other one named in the book. The territory embraces Centerville, California, Coal Centre, Roscoe, Belle Vernon, Fayette City, Charleroi, McMahan Borough, Twilight, Beallsville and many other points in this section of Washington County. An immense territory is covered in this free service and the fact that the independent companies are able to grant to the public so much service is further evidence of the enormous handicap they have been put to by the Bell interests. They have successfully fought their way to recognition in spite of great odds and today stand as a public service institution in the truest sense of the words.

Speaking of Colds.

This is precisely what fully two-thirds of the people in this part of the country seem to be doing at this particular time of year and under such weather conditions as have obtained for the last few weeks. This morning the New Englander who can sound a nasal letter clearly and unobstructedly is apt to be an object of envy among his or her associates. There appears to be no escape from the suggestion of a cold. It is even cold comfort to be told by Dr. J. B. Huber, in the New York Medical Journal, that colds seem to be the exclusive privilege of civilization; that the human race did not snuffle much until it began to build houses and to wear clothes, and that an essential element in the catching of colds has been the disturbance of equilibrium in the body through constantly passing from the superheated home into low temperatures without the house. The fact remains that the human race, or that portion of it which is found in this latitude, does build houses and wear clothes, and that it finds houses and clothes indispensable, even when winter is engaged in so mild an occupation as lingering in the lap of spring.—Manchester Union

Referred to an Expert.

A stylishly dressed woman in a smart-looking brougham narrowly averted running over a messenger boy riding a bicycle. The woman stopped her car and opened the door of the electric to express her sympathy.

But the boy was ahead of her, and in a harangue that for emphasis would have made Captain Kidd, or any of the

her exactly what he thought of the incident.

The woman closed the door hurriedly, and, turning to her eight-year-old son, who, dressed like Lord Fauntleroy, sat demurely beside her, said in a shocked voice:

"I never heard such language in my life."

"Oh, that's nothing," the little fellow told his mother. "You ought to have heard the cook talking to me

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